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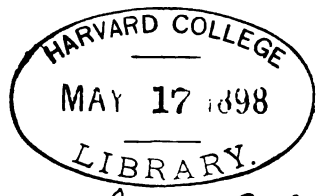

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INTRODUCTION.

IN presenting volume IV. of the CANADIAN ALBUM to subscribers and the public generally, the publishers very greatly appreciate the large and distinguished patronage accorded to their great national enterprise. The numerous expressions of approval received from the various parts of the Dominion, and the high compliments paid them at home and abroad, not only testify to the continued excellence of the work, but are treasured as increased inspiration to complete the series with no less credit to themselves and patrons, than has characterized the volumes already issued.

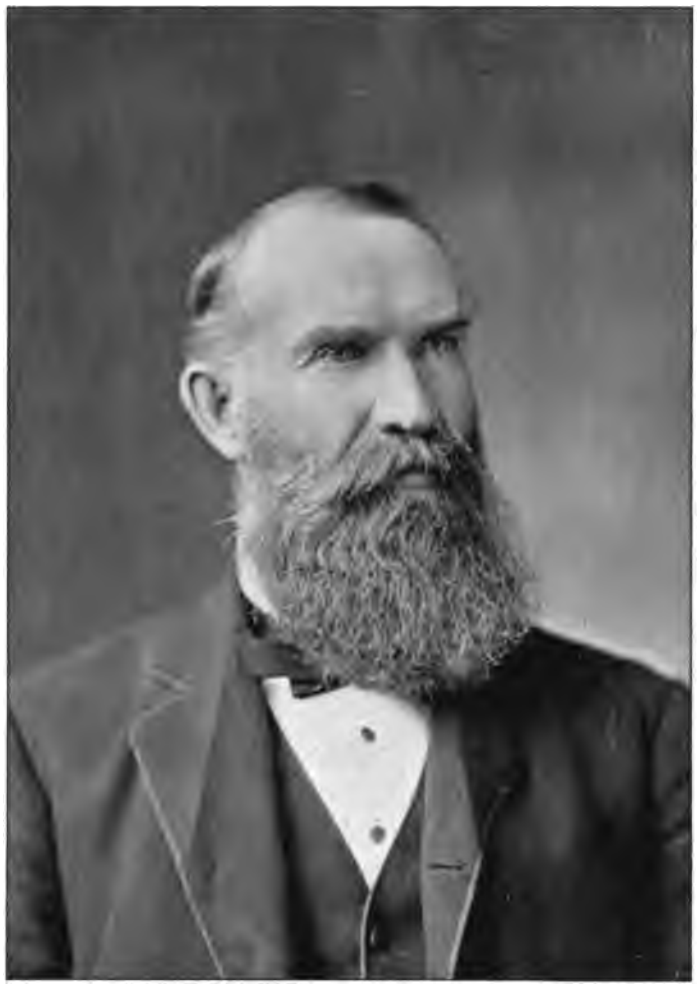
The present issue, instead of being confined to any one province, represents more or less every part of the Dominion. To overtake such a vast area, has demanded large outlay and untiring effort, on the part of the publishers and all concerned. To many friends, it may be a surprise, that in the very newest, as well as in the oldest portions of our country, there are found so many representative men, engaged at one and the same time, in prosecuting successfully their own business or professional engagements, and also uniting, irrespective of religious or political creed, to forward the best interests of their native or adopted land.

In this country, while we have no titled aristocracy, we have certainly the elements of, and the incentives to, true manhood, which are not so frequently found in older nations, where birth, fortune and accidental surroundings, contribute very largely to worldly preferment. Almost every man, whose portrait and biography appears among the men of Canada, has carved out his destiny by honest toil, and integrity of life—the few only are indebted to descent and ancestral influence. For those who are to succeed the present generation, it is of immense importance, that they should know what their forefathers—as pioneers of this country, achieved—in bygone days, so that, following in their footsteps, they may accomplish with their greatly increased advantages, still greater things for themselves and the land they proudly call their own.

The same artistic finish in engravings, typography and binding, as well as fidelity to facts in the biographies, which have characterised the previous volumes, will be found in this. No expense has been grudged to make the work, in every respect, worthy of its aim, and at least equal to similar productions in the old world. In the four volumes now published, future subscribers have the best assurance, that what remains of the work, will be equally satisfactory. The publishers feel that, apart altogether from pecuniary considerations, the honor of having carried such an enterprise to a successful end, is in itself no small reward for the toil, expenditure and forethought of a long term of years.

Wm. Cochrane

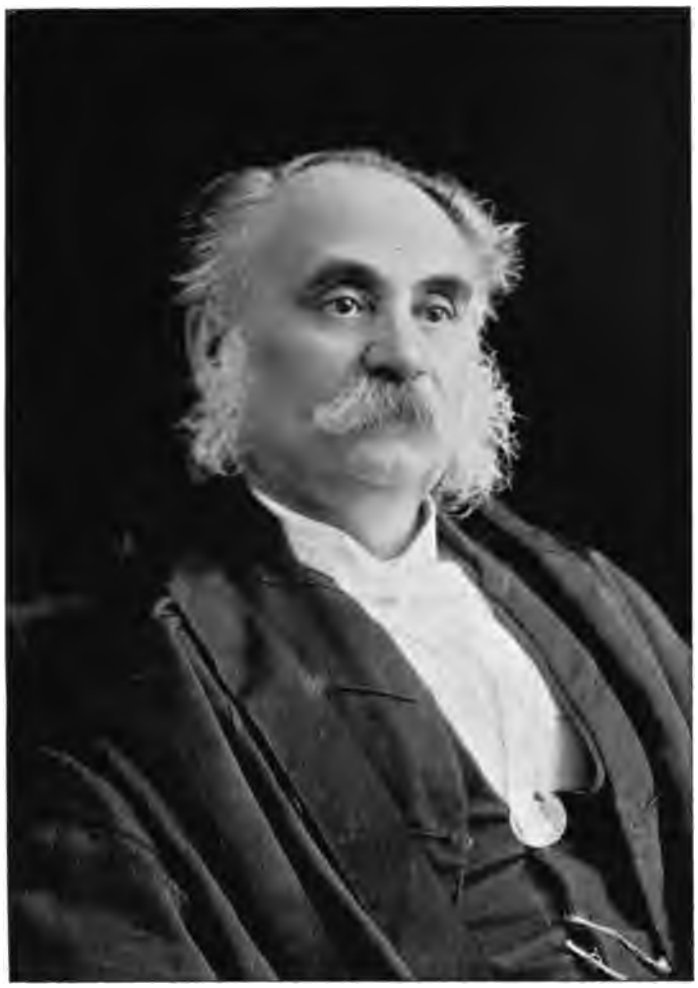
MGR. J. M. ÉMARD, Valleyfield, Que., was born March 31st, 1853, at St. Constant, Que., but his family lived at St. Hubert for thirty-four years. This family has the honor of counting a bishop, together with an Oblate father and three religious daughters, in the community of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary. His father was a schoolmaster, and from him M. Émard received his early education. He commenced his classical studies at the Seminary of Ste. Thérèse, and after three years, entered the College of Montreal. After completing his philosophical course, he entered the Grand Seminary, Montreal, and was ordained priest, June 10th, 1876. He was, for one year, a professor in the College of Montreal, after which he was appointed vicar at the Church of Mile End. In the midst of active life, he cherished a desire to go to Rome to perfect himself in the sacred sciences. He spent three years in Rome, where he followed a theological course at the Roman College of the Jesuits, and also that of Right Canon, at the Seminary of Apollinaire. He took his degrees of Doctor in Theology, and in Right Canon, and completed his studies by a voyage to the Holy Land, of which he has published the account, and returned to Montreal in 1880. Mgr. Fabre appointed him first vicar to the Church of St. Joseph, Montreal, and the year following, called him to the Archbishopric, with the title of vice-chancellor. When the Faculty of Arts of Laval University was created at Montreal, the Rev. Émard was invited to take part in it, and was charged with the course of Ecclesiastical History, and filled the position with great ability. He became chancellor, in 1888, at the death of the lamented M. Harel, and titular canon of the Cathedral in 1891. He was Chaplain of two societies of mutual assistance, the Union St. Joseph and the Irish society, Catholic Mutual Benevolent Association. He is a man of broad culture and ripe scholarship, a devout Christian and ardently attached to his sacred calling, hence his signal success.



W. H. LAMBLY, Inverness, Que., Registrar of Megantic County, was born in Megantic County December 1st, 1839. In 1861, he removed to Inverness, where he has since resided. His father, John R. Lambly, was for nearly twenty years registrar of Megantic County, and his grandfather, Capt. John Lambly, was for nearly a quarter of a century, harbor master of the Port of Quebec. Mr. Lambly commenced his education at Leeds, afterwards attended Newbury Seminary, Vermont, and subsequently Victoria College, Cobourg. He was appointed registrar of Megantic in 1862, which office he has since held. He was made a J. P. in 1863. He was elected president of the Association of Registrars of the Province of Quebec in 1886, and again unanimously elected in 1887. He was a local municipal councillor for Inverness in 1866, and was appointed mayor of the town at the first meeting thereafter. He declined re-election in 1868, and was appointed secretary-treasurer of the Council, and of the Board of School Commissioners. He was also first Licence Inspector of Megantic, and with the noble assistance of the Good Templars and Sons of Temperance, succeeded in eradicating every liquor establishment in the town. He joined the S.O.T. in 1855, and the Good Templars in 1869, and has held the highest offices in the gift of these societies in Canadian jurisdiction. He has also travelled very extensively, and on different occasions has visited the White House, Washington. In religion, Mr. Lambly is a Methodist, and has held nearly every position of honor and responsibility open to laymen, among others, was appointed to represent the Methodist Church, by the Montreal Conference, in 1892, at the Ecumenical Council held at Washington. He has always endeavored, by precept and example, to make the world better. He was married, May 25th, 1863, to Isabella D. Brown, daughter of Rev. Wm. D. Brown, Methodist Clergyman. His family consists of four sons and two daughters.

HON. LOUIS BÉLANGER, Judge of the Superior Court for the Province of Quebec, was born in the Parish of St. Vincent de Paul, August 25th, 1825. His father, François Bélanger, was a farmer of St. Vincent de Paul, while his mother was Françoise Allair. Judge Bélanger attended school in his native parish, and then went to Montreal College and completed a classical course. He then studied law with Messrs. Pelletier & Papin, and was admitted to the Bar, October 8th, 1852, when he became a member of the firm. Soon after, Mr. Papin withdrew, and Mr. Bélanger became the only partner of Mr. J. F. Pelletier. In May, 1858, Mr. Pelletier died, and Mr. Bélanger practised alone for eighteen months, when he entered into partnership with Hon. Louis T. Drummond. After three years, this partnership was dissolved, and Mr. Bélanger took with him Mr. Desnoyers, then Bélanger, Desnoyers & Ouimet. In the spring of 1873, Mr. Bélanger became a Q.C., and was appointed a Judge for the District of Beauharnois on September 20th of the same year. Some years after, a law was passed by the Parliament of Quebec, providing that the District of Terrebonne, would be attended to by the judge residing in the District of Beauharnois, and consequently this responsibility had to be assumed by Judge Bélanger. He held the position for over ten years, when another law was passed providing for a residing judge for the District of Terrebonne. Judge Bélanger has several times been asked to represent the Liberal party, but has always declined, not wishing to take an active part in politics. His Honor is a man of quick insight and deep penetration in all matters pertaining to his high office, and discharges the duties of his responsible position with becoming dignity and marked ability. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. November 8th, 1853, he married Marie Louise Herminigilde, daughter of Jos. A. Labadie, now deceased, who was a Notary Public in Montreal. His family consists of one son, a lawyer in Montreal.

RUFUS HENRY POPE, M.P., Cookshire, Que., was born in that town, September 13th, 1857. His father was the distinguished Hon. John Henry Pope, whose portrait is the frontispiece of this volume. His parents were descended from old and distinguished families of U. E. Loyalist stock. Our subject was educated at Cookshire Academy, Sherbrooke High School, and under a private tutor. He also studied law at McGill, but his tastes were in the line of agriculture, and he took possession of the fine estate comprising about 1,400 acres, known as "East View Stock Farm," previously owned and conducted by his father. He proved himself a born agriculturist, and applied his energies to the importation of thoroughbred stock, making a specialty of the Polled Angus or Aberdeen Cattle, and has the credit of introducing this breed into America. Compton County is celebrated for high-class farming, and Mr. Pope has ranked foremost among those who have been instrumental in raising the standard of agricultural science. He is at present devoting himself to dairying upon the latest scientific principles. He was first a candidate for the House of Commons, at the By-Election of 1889, which followed the death of his father, and was elected by a large majority. At the General Elections of 1891, he was opposed by a lawyer of Montreal, over whom he had a majority of 1,050. He is a forcible political speaker, and relating to agriculture, it is doubtful if he has a superior in the House. Mr. Pope was married, September 18th, 1877, to Miss Lucy Noble, daughter of Major C. Noble, of Compton. He was one of the promoters of the Hereford Railway, and is largely interested in many great business corporations in the Eastern Townships. He is the active partner of the Cookshire Mill Company, director of the Scotstown Lumber Company, of the Royal Pulp and Paper Company of Angus, the Paton Manufacturing Company of Sherbrooke, the Dominion Lime Company, the Canada Provident Assurance Company, etc.



HON. LOUIS FRANÇOIS GEO. BABY, D.C.L., and L.L.D., was born in Montreal, August 26th, 1832. His father, a notary and lieutenant-colonel in the Canadian Militia, was the son of the Hon. François Baby, adjutant-general of Lower Canada and a member of the Executive and Legislative councils respectively. After a brilliant course of studies, begun with the Sulpicians, and terminated at Joliette College, Judge Baby studied law with Hons. L. T. Drummond and T. J. J. Loranger. He was admitted to the Bar in 1857, and entered into partnership with the former. Having to retire to the country, on account of ill health, he selected Joliette, Que., where he soon found himself at the head of a large *clientelle.* For many years, he took part in the municipal affairs, and occupied the position of mayor. In 1872, he ran for the House of Commons, but was defeated by a small majority. The following General Elections, he was elected by acclamation, and held the seat for Joliette until October 1880, when he was elevated to the Bench. His commission was that of a Judge of the Superior Court, but subsequently of the Court of Appeals, in which he still presides. He was Minister of Inland Revenue from 1878-80. Judge Baby has devoted much time to the study of Canadian Archeology and Numismatics, and as such is widely known. For years, he has been president of the Montreal Numismatic and Antiquarian Society, and vice-president of the Historical Society. He was married, July 22nd, 1873, to Hélène Adelaide, daughter of Dr. Barthelet, a Knight of the Holy Sepulchre. In 1888, he was charged with a most important mission to the Holy See, respecting the distribution of the monies granted for the Jesuits' estates, and his services where recognized by His Holiness, conferring upon him the decoration of Knight Grand Cross of the Order of St. Gregory the Great. Among the eminent men of Canada, Judge Baby occupies a most enviable position. In 1874, he was created Q.C.

WILL. MITCHELL, general manager and director of the Drummond County Railway, president of Drummond Lumber Company, president of the Drummondville Bridge Company, etc., was born March 14th, 1851, in the township of Durham. His parents were Thomas and Margaret (Patrick) Mitchell, who came to this country from the North of Ireland, in 1841. Mr. Mitchell's early educational advantages were limited, and after attending an elementary school for a short time, he went to Maine, and entered the employ of a railway corporation; returning to Durham, he engaged in lumber enterprises. Success crowned his efforts, and some years later, he removed to Drummondville, and continued on a largely extended basis in the same line, until 1886. In 1886 he organized a company to purchase a large tract of timber land in the townships of Windover and Simpson, which cost $95,000. In order to make use of the gigantic timber resources, it was found necessary to build a line of railway, extending from Drummondville to Mitchell; this road is now eighty-seven miles in length, and is known as the Drummond County Railway. Since the organization of this company, Mr. Mitchell has been its general manager, and its success clearly demonstrated his executive ability. In 1893, he formed the Drummond Lumber Company, of which he is president, to purchase 40,000 acres of timber land, and then applied his energies to building an extension of the Drummond County Railway, through this tract, for twenty-three miles. Mr. Mitchell is a member of the firm of Church, Mitchell & Fee, the widely-known lumber merchants; he is also a partner of Mr. F. A. Culting, of Boston, in the ownership of 20,000 acres of land in New York State. In politics, he is a Liberal; he is also chairman of the Protestant Board of School Commissioners, a J. P., director of the Richmond, Drummond, Yamaska Fire Insurance Company, etc. November 1st, 1876, he married Dora A., daughter of Geo. H. Goddard, of Danville, Que.

JOSEPH EDOUARD DUHAMEL, Notary, L'Assomption, Que., was born January 27th, 1858, at that place. His parents were Benjamin Duhamel and Honorine Vaillant. He received his education at L'Assomption College, afterwards entered the office of Bmy. Rocher, L'Assomption, where he studied three years. He was then in the office of L. O. Hétu, Montréal, for one year, and was admitted to practice, October 20th, 1882. He immediately opened an office in L'Assomption, where he has since continued, building up a large practice, and is regarded by his townsmen as a man of sterling character and business ability. In 1885, he was elected secretary for the parish of L'Assomption, also for the County, and of the School Trustees, which offices he still holds. He is also notary for the Bank of St. Hyacinthe at L'Assomption. In politics, Mr. Duhamel is a Liberal; in religion, a Roman Catholic. May 13th, 1884, he was married to Miss Amanda Géoffrion, daughter of Joseph Géoffrion, registrar of Verchères. His family consists of five children.

J. E. DUHAMEL.

A. P. VANASSE.

ARTHUR PIERRE VANASSE, Attorney-at-Law, and editor of *Le Sorelois*, *L'Écho de Louiseville* and *Le Courrier du Comté d' Yamaska*, was born February 27th, 1851, at St. Aimé, Richelieu County. Mr. Vanasse was educated at St. Aimé, College of St. Laurent, College of Sorel, and the University of Ottawa. He was Crown Prosecutor for three years, and has been for over fifteen years engaged in journalism, in addition to his professional duties. He is also recording secretary of the I. O. F., of the Catholic Order of Foresters, and of the C. M. B. A. In politics, he is a Conservative, and has always taken a keen interest in the welfare of his party, doing good work for them, both as a canvasser and a speaker. He has accompanied the Hon. C. C. Colby through the county of Stanstead, doing his French speaking for him, and generally carrying the meetings. He also addressed a large number of meetings in the interest of Sir Hector Langevin, J. A. Massue and others. In religion, Mr. Vanasse is a Roman Catholic. He is unmarried.

REV. FATHER L. W. MURPHY.

REV. FATHER L. W. MURPHY, Montreal, was born in County Cork, Ireland, in 1855. He was educated in the public schools of Elmira, N.Y., St. Bonaventure College, Alleghany, N.T., and Niagara University, graduating from the latter with the gold medal. He also obtained the gold medal in chemistry, from St. Bonaventure College. He was ordained priest in 1878, and began work at Buffalo, N.Y., where he was eminently successful. He was afterwards sent as Missionary to Texas. He was about to be nominated Bishop of Dallas, but declined on account of ill health. He resumed the study of chemistry to discover a combination whereby drunkenness could be cured, and after sixteen years of unremitting search, was successful. The Catholic hierarchy and leading Protestant clergymen endorse Father Murphy's great discovery. The supervision of his various institutes, keeps him constantly on the wing. He looks forward with confidence to the time when total abstinence will be a moral and sanitary duty in all educational institutes.

JAMES PHALEN MITCHELL, Lumber Merchant, Millville, Nova Scotia, was born September 24th, 1845, at Mill Village, N. S. His parents were George Mitchell and Mary (Phalen) Mitchell. Mr. Mitchell was educated at the Common schools of Mill Village. He entered mercantile life as lumberman, and from the beginning until the present, dealt extensively in that article. He entered upon business life with good habits, energy and industry, giving to his business his first attention, and as a result, has been honored with success of a flattering kind. Mr. Mitchell is a member of the Masonic fraternity, a Justice of the Peace, and served two terms as Council for Queen's County. In politics, he is a Liberal, taking an active interest in his party's affairs, and doing his full share in guiding the ship of State. In religion, he is a Methodist, and has received honors at the hands of his Church. Mr. Mitchell was married to Isabella D., daughter of Capt. Alexander McKenzie. His family consists of three children, one son and two daughters.

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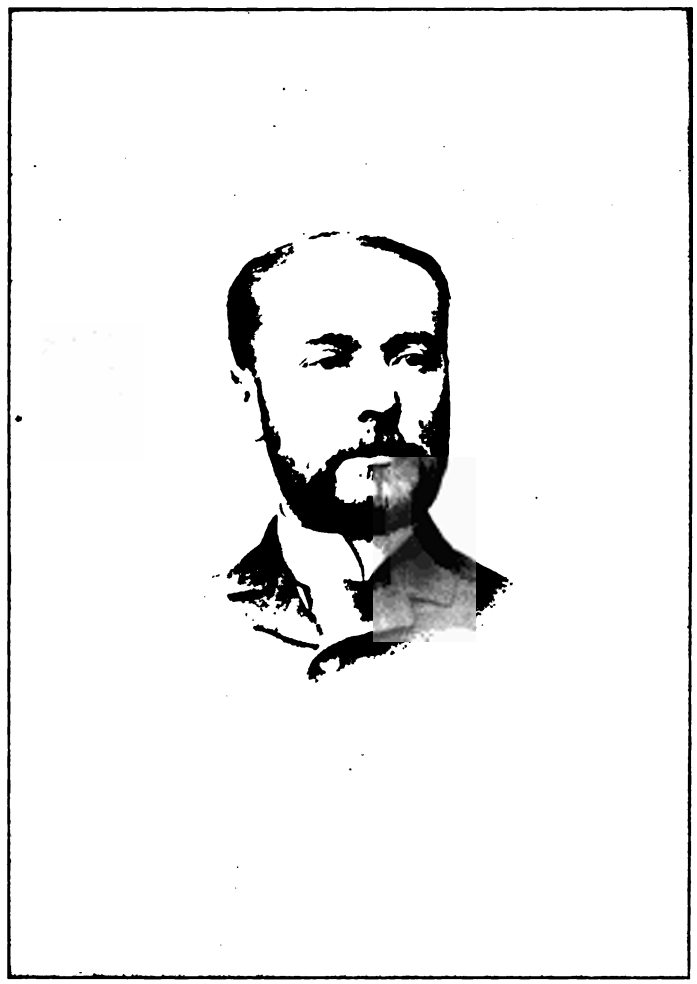


EUSÈBE MORIN, St. Hyacinthe, Que., was born July 14th, 1853. He is a son of François Morin and Marguerite Maheux. When ten years of age, he entered St. Hyacinthe Seminary, for his classical education. At the age of seventeen, he formed a partnership with Mr. Lamoureux, which existed for about one year, when Mr. Morin bought out his partner, subsequently establishing retail and wholesale houses, under the various names of Morin & Lamothe, Morin & Dion, Morin & Robitaille, Morin & Brodeur, in St. Hyacinthe and vicinity. He was afterwards compelled to give up business and proceed to Europe for the benefit of his health, and after an extensive tour through England, Scotland, Ireland, France and Italy, returned to Canada, with a large and varied assortment of European goods, and was thus enabled to establish his trade on a more extensive basis than ever before. He founded the following firms: Morin & Co., Morin & Lalime, Morin & Bergeron, in St. Hyacinthe, he being the principal partner in each. He has since sold his interest in these concerns to embark in real estate business, in which he has also been very successful, and owns a large quantity of property in the Eastern Townships. He has also built one of the finest private residences in the city of St. Hyacinthe, and is also a promoter and supporter of public enterprises, and the fact that he has done much to advance the prosperity of his town and province, is recognized by all. Mr. Morin has gained his present position by straight-forward dealing and careful attention to business, and his example is well worthy of emulation. He married, in 1888, Alice, only daughter of the Honorable Judge Malhiot, of Aylmer, Que., and has one son, Norbert. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. At the last Provincial General Elections, he was requested, by both Liberal and Conservative parties, to run for the Local Legislature, but on account of pressure of his own business, he was under the necessity of declining the honour.

THE HON. ALEXANDER MACFARLANE, Wallace, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, was born in that county, June 18th, 1817. He is the son of Daniel Macfarlane, who came from Perthshire, Scotland, an extensive merchant and a member of the Nova Scotia Legislature. His mother was Helen McNab, a native of Nova Scotia. Mr. Macfarlane received his education under private tutors, and afterwards studied law in the office of the late Mr. Alex. Stewart, Halifax, and was called to the Bar in 1844. He at once commenced to practise in Amherst, where his activity and strict application to business, soon gave him a conspicuous place in the legal profession. At the same time, giving his thoughts to political affairs of which he made a useful and profound study, and in 1856, offered himself as a candidate for the County of Cumberland, and was elected by a large majority. He represented this county in the Nova Scotia Legislature, up to the time of the Union. In 1865, he became a member of the Executive Council of Nova Scotia, and holds rank and precedence as such by patent from the Queen. In 1867, he was appointed Q.C., and is a Surrogate of the Vice-Admiralty Court. He took an active part in the movement for the Union, when the Maritime Provinces projected a union of their own. He was one of the delegates from Nova Scotia to the London Conference to complete terms of the Union in 1866-67. On October 10th, 1870, he was called to the Senate. Mr. Macfarlane was married, in the year 1847, to Miss Ann Seaman, daughter of Amos Seaman, Esq., of Cumberland County, Nova Scotia. In religion, Mr. Macfarlane is a Presbyterian. He is a gentleman of marked courtesy of manners, and in his utterances in the Senate, there is much of advice and instruction, while his speeches are marked with much breadth of view. In private life, he has a host of friends which he has drawn to him by his genial manner, and who hope he may be long spared to favor them with the benefit of his helpful and pleasant association.

WILLIAM WARD BAILEY, J. P., Mayor of the Town of Cookshire, P. Q., and Manager for the Cookshire Mill Company, was born April 14th, 1845, in the County of Compton. He comes of an old representative family, his father Cyrus A. Bailey, having been a resident of Cookshire all his life. He was a public spirited man, having been identified with many important municipal enterprises, and in his day was one of the most influential citizens of Compton County. His wife, the mother of our subject, was Miss Emily R. French, whose connections were also among the old residents of Compton. Mr. W. W. Bailey was educated at Cookshire Academy, Royalton High School, Vermont, and completed his studies at St. Francis College, Richmond. He then engaged in lumber enterprises on his own account at Island Brook, township of Newport. He was one of the pioneer settlers of that place, and did a great deal to promote its interests. Was a member of Newport Council for a number of years and mayor for a term. In 1882, he accepted the position of manager of the Cookshire Mill Company, which position he still holds. He has been more or less interested in contracts before and since his connection with the Cookshire Mill Company. He is a member of the I. O. F., in which order he has held prominent offices, also of the Masonic fraternity. He has been a member of the Council of Cookshire since its incorporation, and is regarded by his fellow townsmen as a citizen of worth and influence. In politics, he is a Conservative, and takes an active part in election campaigns, and does effective service in behalf of his party. He is a nephew of the late Hon. John Henry Pope, and his parents were associated socially and politically with that distinguished statesman all through life. He was from a large family, having four brothers and four sisters. He was married, in November, 1871, to Miss N. N. Weston, daughter of the late James Weston, of Island Brook. His family consists of two sons and five daughters.

MATTHEW H. FITZPATRICK, River John, Pictou County, N.S., was born at Fitzpatrick Mountain, Pictou County, N.S., February 15th, 1845. His father was James Fitzpatrick, farmer, one of the first magistrates of the County, while his mother was Margaret Henry. Both were natives of the County of Pictou. Mr. Fitzpatrick received his education at the public schools of Pictou County, and on leaving school, started out on his own account on the railway, to learn the contracting business, and after getting thoroughly proficient in this line, he commenced business as a contractor. He had several large contracts in the Southern States, after which he had an extensive one on the C.P.R., at Big Pick River. He also had large contracts at Duluth, both for the city and railway companies, besides numerous smaller ones. While in Duluth, he invested largely in the Eureka Woollen Mills, in Pictou County, but on finding that they did not pay him very well, he returned to Nova Scotia, and assumed the management himself, and soon succeeded in making the enterprise a good paying one. The Eureka Woollen Mills have since become known as the Eureka Manufacturing Co., of which Mr. Fitzpatrick is at present the managing-director. He is also one of the directors of the Charcoal Iron Company of Bridgeville, Pictou County, and a director of the Pictou Foundry and Manufacturing Company, and owns an extensive farm and nursery in Pictou County, which as the rest of his enterprises, he carries on successfully. Mr. Fitzpatrick was married, in 1884, to Maggie, daughter of John and Margaret Steele, of Duluth, by whom he has one son. He is a member of the Masonic Order, the I.O. O.F., S.O.T., Y.M.C.A., having held high offices in many of the same. He is a strong advocate of Prohibition, and has been engaged in temperance work since he was thirteen years of age. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Fitzpatrick is a self-made man, having started life without a dollar.

ALEXANDER BAPTIST, Lumber Merchant, Three Rivers, Que., was born February 12th, 1836, at Etchemin, Que. His father, George Baptist, came from the borders of the Tweed, Scotland, to Canada, in 1832, and engaged in saw and grist milling. In course of time he abandoned the latter, and devoted his time to the manufacture and exportation of lumber. Our subject began his education at Pointe Lévis, afterwards attending various public and high schools at different places, and finally completed at Troy, N.Y. Immediately on leaving college, he entered his father's establishment at Three Rivers, serving in the capacity of bookkeeper, and at the expiration of one year, was promoted to the responsible position of manager, which he held from October 1855 to 1870, when he was taken into partnership. This partnership lasted for five years, when Mr. Baptist sold his interest and started business in the same line, on his own account, on the River St. Maurice. From the commencement, he was signally successful. In 1887, he formed the Ottawa Lumber Co., and built the large mills known by that name, at Calumet, Que. In January 1892, he purchased the entire estate of Geo. Baptist, Son & Co., and rebuilt and re-furnished the mills throughout. He is now the sole proprietor, and also conducts the Ottawa Lumber Co. He has been president of the Board of Trade, Three Rivers, harbor commissioner, and has also been a much valued member of the City Council for many years. Mr. Baptist is also widely known as a successful agriculturist, and is the owner of two of the finest farms in the district. He is a man of sterling integrity and great business ability, and his immense fortune has been amassed on the most creditable and straightforward business principles. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. He was married, in 1861, to Miss Agnes Blair, who died in 1870, and in 1872 he was married to Miss Flora McD. Blair, sister of his first wife. His family consists of nine children, five daughters and four sons.

REV. T. SHAW CHAPMAN, Superannuated Clergyman, Marbleton, Que., was born January 10th, 1824, in Richmond County, Que. He was brought up on a farm, receiving limited educational advantages, until eighteen years of age, when he entered the Lennoxville Classical School, afterwards Bishop's College, Lennoxville, from which institution he received his M.A. He was ordained by the Right Rev. Geo. J. Mountain, in 1848, after which he was travelling missionary for a time, and chaplain of the Quarantine Station, Grosse Isle, during the Asiatic cholera of 1849. Was licensed to the new missionary parish of Dudswell and vicinity, in 1850, which has since been his adopted home. During these long years, he labored hard to promote the best interests of his parish, and the three fine churches and the model school there, testify to his success. His Church Society's Annual Report for 1892, contains a long article regarding his services, but space forbids us to quote it in full: "Mr. Chapman's work in Dudswell began on January 1st, 1849, when as travelling missionary, with a roving commission over the whole of the Eastern townships, he first visited this mission. On the occasion of this visit many inquired what had brought an Episcopal to Dudswell, as there were so few of that persuation in the vicinity. There were indeed but a few, a mere handful of Church of England people. So strong was the impression made by Mr. Chapman on the people that, early in the year 1850, a very urgent petition signed by a large number of the inhabitants, was sent to the Bishop of Quebec, asking for Mr. Chapman's appointment as incumbent of the Mission. In March, 1850, he took up his residence in Dudswell, and began what proved to be his life work." Mr. Chapman has always been a total abstainer, a Conservative, and is a member of the Masonic Order, the Orange Society, and for long time a director of the Quebec Central Railway. He was married, June 2nd, 1851. His family consists of two sons and three daughters.

J. C. McCORKILL, B.C.L., Major, retired list of active militia of Canada, formerly of the 5th Battalion Royal Scots of Canada, Montreal; Advocate, Cowansville, Que., was born August 31st, 1854, in Farnham, Que. His parents were Robert and Margaret McCorkill, the former being a J.P. and captain in the 60th Battalion, of Missisquoi County. His grandfather, John M. McCorkill, formerly of Glasgow, Scotland, was one of the pioneers of Farnham. Mr. McCorkill was educated at the Academy of St. John's, McGill Model and Normal schools and McGill College, Montreal, graduating from the latter in 1877. He first practised his profession in Montreal and the district of Bedford, and was for several years a member of the firm of Greenshields, McCorkill and Guerin, but retired from this firm in 1886. He took an active part in some of the leading cases in connection with the liquidation of the Exchange Bank, and more particularly, in the prosecution of the double liability claim against the shareholders. He was also engaged for the defense in some important criminal prosecutions. He commenced active practice in the District of Bedford in 1888, and quickly gathered around him a large and lucrative clientelle. He has held important offices in the Council of the Bar of the District of Bedford, and was one of the provincial examiners for admission to study and practice of law. He has been a councillor of Cowansville since January, 1889, and mayor since January, 1892. Owing to the progressive policy which he advocated, he was bitterly, but unsuccessfully opposed. In politics, he is a Liberal, president of the Liberal Association of Missisquoi for several years, has taken an active part in the welfare of his party, and was twice a candidate for parliamentary honors. He is also a strong advocate of the Canadian national sentiment and Canadian interests as against all others. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. Mr. McCorkill was married, August 21st, 1884, to Miss Apphia May, daughter of the late Hon. Senator Leonard, of London, Ont.

ARTHUR OLIVIER, Q.C., Attorney at Law, Three Rivers, Que., was born at that place, December 17th, 1854. He is a son of J. A. Olivier, Inspector of Weights and Measures for the division of Three Rivers, while his mother's maiden name was Eléonore Genest Labarre. His father is still living, and held in high esteem, by the residents of that community, as a man of honor and integrity. Mr. Olivier began his education at Three Rivers College, where he spent five years in the study of classics, and then entered Quebec Seminary to complete his course. In 1873, he commenced the study of Law in Three Rivers, and was admitted to practice in 1877. He began to practice his profession in his native city, where, by diligent attention to business and inherent ability, he soon rose to a distinguished position, having taken part in some of the most important cases in the district. He is recognised as a most able lawyer, stands in a front place in his profession, and is much respected by the members of the Bar and the public generally. In 1885, he was a candidate for the Local House in the interests of the Conservative party, for the city of Three Rivers, but was defeated by a small majority. At the by-election of 1887, he was again in the field as candidate, but was defeated. He then retired from politics, and has since given his attention to his extensive practice. Mr. Olivier has been a member of the City Council about four years, and has been repeatedly asked to run for mayor, but declined, feeling that his large legal business required his best personal attention. He was created a Q.C. in 1893. Mr. Olivier is a Roman Catholic in religion. He was married, in July, 1879, to Miss A. Emmeline Landry, daughter of the well-known L. E. Landry, M.D., of Becancourt, Que. His family consists of three children, two daughters and one son. Mr. Olivier has always taken a great interest in music, and has been invaluable to the Union Musicale of Three Rivers of which he was president for several years.

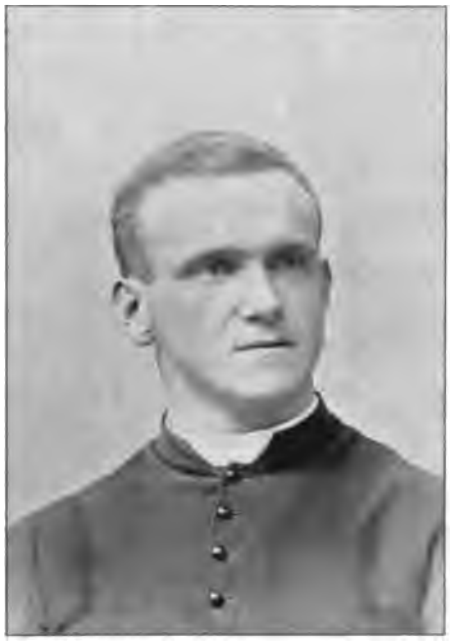
REV. J. T. GAUDET.

REV. JOSEPH TREFFLÉ GAUDET, Priest at L'Épiphanie, Que., was born January 24th, 1838, at St. Jacques de L'Achigan. His parents were Joseph Gaudet and Marie Robichaud. Father Gaudet received his education at L'Assomption College, graduating in 1859. On completing his course, he was appointed disciplinarian in that college, which position he occupied three years. December 21st, 1862, he was ordained priest at Hôtel-Dieu, Montreal, by Bishop Bourget. He was then stationed at Pointe-aux-Trembles, Montreal, where he remained eight months, then received the appointment of president of the Lycée de Varennes, where he remained four years, and became director of L'Assomption College, which responsible position he filled for twenty-two years, and was also the first director of the School of Agriculture, in connection with that institution. In 1889, he removed to his present charge, where he is held in the highest esteem. To his efforts is largely due the fact that this college has assumed its present important and widely known position.

WILLIAM LYNCH, Manufacturer, L'Épiphanie, Que., was born in Montreal, Que., March 25th, 1832, and obtained his education in the schools of that city. His early days were spent on his father's farm, but having decided on a business career, he entered a factory and learned the furniture business; shortly afterwards, commencing business for himself. One of his earliest undertakings was the building for the G.T.R. of forty-four cars, in Montreal, during the years 1855-57. In 1857, he removed to L'Épiphanie, where he established the manufactory of which he is still proprietor. His business has gradually increased until to-day he stands amongst the prominent manufacturers of his province. He has also taken a prominent part in municipal matters, was for many years councillor, and six years mayor. In politics, he is an active Conservative, and in religion a Roman Catholic. In February, 1865, he married Charlotte, daughter of Capt. Benj. Cormier, of L'Assomption. His family consists of three children, two sons and one daughter.

WILLIAM LYNCH.

REV. FATHER WM. ERN'T YOUNG, Enfield, Hants County, N.S., was born in Halifax, March 26th, 1867. He is the son of Joseph Wm. Young, of the Merchants' Bank, and Clara Marion Halls. His father came from Ireland, and his mother from England. He received his early education at St. Mary's College, Halifax, then at St. Dunstan's College, Charlottetown, P.E.I., and graduated from there in 1888. He took his theological course at the Grand Seminary, Montreal, and was ordained by Archbishop O'Brien, at St. Mary's Cathedral, Halifax, July 23rd, 1893. He remained as curate at the Cathedral four months, and, November 1st of the same year, was appointed to the Parish of Enfield, where he has charge of the churches of Bedford, Hammond's Plains, Windsor Junction, Shubenacadie and the Indian Reserve of Shubenacadie, also of the following stations: Rockingham, Waverly, Beaver Bank, Wellington, Oldham, Lower Musquodoboit, Gay's River, Rawdon, The Gore, and several others. He is a successful worker and is doing much good.



REV. FATHER WM. E. YOUNG.

ALEXANDER McKAY.

ALEXANDER McKAY, Supervisor of Halifax schools, was born July 16th, 1841, at Earltown, N.S. After receiving his early education, he entered the Normal School, Truro, N.S., graduating in 1859. He then taught in Digby, Colchester and Kings counties, eleven years. In 1872 he took charge of the Dartmouth schools, in 1881, was appointed mathematical and science master in the Halifax Academy, and in 1884, supervisor of the Halifax schools. In 1878 he formed the Halifax Teachers' Institute, of which he was president several years. For fifteen years, he has been secretary of the Provincial Education Association, has been a director of the Halifax Ladies' College, and director and secretary of the Victoria School of Art and Design, since their inception. He is also provincial examiner in physiology, drawing and bookkeeping, and it was through his efforts that tonic sol-fa and manual training, those usually much neglected branches, were made part of the public school system. He was married, in 1871, to Caroline Gidney, of Sandy Cove, N.S.

MAXIME CRÉPEAU, Notary, Postmaster, secretary and treasurer of the Corporation of St. Félix, and secretary and treasurer of the School Board of St. Félix, was born February 13th, 1824, at Isle du Pas. His father was Peter Crépeau, while his mother was Marie Dandonneau. Mr. Crépeau received his education at Berthier Academy. Immediately upon the completion of his college course, he commenced to prepare for the notarial profession, in the office of Pierre Blondin, at La Baie du Febvre, where he remained five years, when he passed his examinations, and was admitted to practice. He commenced to practise at Ste. Monique, where he remained one year, then removing to St. Félix, where he has since continued, having built up a practice second to none in the County, and has also steadily advanced in the estimation of the public. In 1847, he entered municipal matters, and was appointed secretary-treasurer for his municipality, a position which he has since held. In 1876, he was appointed director of cadastre, for the District of Joliette, which position he held five years. In 1881, he was appointed collector of Provincial Revenue for the District of Joliette, holding this office until June 1894, when he resigned. In 1847, he was appointed postmaster for the town of St. Félix, and has conducted the affairs of the same with much ability since. In that year he was also appointed secretary-treasurer of the School Board for his town, in 1861 and 1871, commissioner for taking the census for the County of Joliette. From 1885 to 1888 he was a member of the Board of Notaries, Quebec. He has always supported the Conservative party and has been at different times pressed to stand for parliamentary honors, but preferred to devote his full time to the many and varied pursuits of his private life. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. In 1848, Mr. Crépeau was married to Miss Joséphine Mousseau, daughter of Hyacinthe Mousseau. His family consists of six children, one son and five daughters.

RAYMUND HAWKESWOOD PHILLIMORE, M.D., C.M., Cookshire, Que., was born at Snenton, near Nottingham, England. His father, the late Wm. P. Phillimore, M.B., was resident physician to the Nottingham Union, and afterwards medical superintendent of the Nottingham County and Borough Asylum, for over a quarter of a century; he contributed several articles to the medical journals. Dr. Phillimore's mother was a daughter of the late Benjamin Watts, an alderman of Bridgenorth. She was a prolific writer, contributing many poems, short stories, and antiquarian articles to various magazines. Dr. R. H. Phillimore was educated at Queen's College, Oxford, and while at the University was gazetted 1st lieutenant in the Oxford University Rifles. He now holds a commission in the Canadian Militia. Dr. Phillimore has contributed many leading articles to English daily and weekly papers, and is the author of several novelettes. He studied for three years at the Nottingham School of Art, obtaining a "full certificate" and several prizes. He came to Canada in October, 1885. He is a member of the Zeta Psi Fraternity, and has held offices in that society. He is one of the medical officers of the Board of Health, Cookshire, and a member of the St. Francis Medical Association. The Government has also recently appointed him quarantine medical officer at the port of Hereford. In politics, he is a Conservative. He was elected warden of St. Peter's Church, Cookshire, two years successively. His eldest brother, W. P. W. Phillimore, M.A., B. C.L., Oxford, is a well-known antiquarian and genealogist, and the author of several valuable works, including "How to write the history of a Family," "Memorials of the Family of Fynmore," "Collections relating to the Family of Stiff," etc., etc. His second brother, R. P. Phillimore, M.A., has secured a reputation for high-class etchings, and has been an exhibitor at the Royal Academy, London. One sister has also shown on several occasions much literary ability.

REV. MOSES GEO. PROULX, Superior of Nicolet College, Nicolet, Que., was born September 29th, 1835, at Nicolet, Que. He is a son of the Hon. J. B. G. Proulx, M.L.C., who was, for over thirty years, one of the leading public men of the Province, and did a great deal towards the advancement of the agricultural interests of the surrounding country. His mother's maiden name was Julia Alexander, a daughter of Calvin Alexander, M.D., who practised his profession in Nicolet. Father Proulx is descended from old and distinguished families, who were among the first settlers of New Hampshire and Canada. He began his education in Nicolet College, which he entered at the age of twelve years, and graduated in 1856. He then studied theology at Nicolet and Fordham, N.Y., for three years, and was ordained priest September 25th, 1859. After his ordination, he taught in Nicolet College for six years, and was appointed director in 1865, and served as such for six years. At the end of that time, he started on a tour through Europe, visiting all the countries of that continent. He afterwards also visited the Holy Land, and the northern part of Africa. At the expiration of one year, he returned to Nicolet, and was appointed procurator of the Seminary, which office he still holds. He was appointed superior, in June 1889, which responsible position he has since filled with ability and satisfaction to all. Notwithstanding his arduous duties in connection with education, he has been active in municipal affairs, and has been instrumental in the advancement of many measures which have tended to the improvement of the town. It is safe to say that the institution of which Father Proulx is the head, is one of the most complete in the Province of Quebec, for the training of boys. Belonging to the College is a park, two miles in circumference, elegantly laid out for the students to take recreation in. Father Proulx is very popular with all classes, his kindness of heart and great ability having drawn all classes to him.

GEO. WHEELOCK POWERS, M.D., C.M., Waterville, Que., was born January 8th, 1831, in Franklin County, Vt. His parents were Daniel and Lue (Parker) Powers, the latter related to the Rev. Dr. Parker, of Hartford, Conn. On both his father's and mother's side, Dr. Powers is descended from families of rank and distinction. A brother of Dr. Powers was also one of the heroes of the battle of Ossawatmey, and a monument was erected to his memory after his burial by the State of Kansas. Dr. Powers began his education in Vermont, where he attended the High schools of Franklin, Bakersfield and Enosburgh. In 1883, he entered the Medical School of Burlington and afterwards attended Castleton University, graduating from the latter in 1858 with the degree of M.D. He then removed to Canada to practise his profession in connection with F. A. Cutter, M.D., of Sutton, but to qualify himself further in the science of medecine, he entered McGill University in 1859, and graduated M.D. in 1861. Since then he has practised successively at Sutton, Eaton, Lennoxville and Waterville, and has always been held in high esteem as a skillful practitioner, wherever he has located. A man of rare industry, skillful in his profession, and kind to his patients, he is necessarily in the enjoyment of a large and profitable practice, and is beloved by many friends. While at Eaton, he married Miss Martha L. King, who died in 1883, by whom he had two children, one of whom is deceased. Dr. Powers was married a second time at Atlanta, Georgia, to Mrs. Martha Chaddock, daughter of the Hon. Mr. Green, who was a prominent politician and lawyer. His second wife died in 1887, leaving one daughter. The Doctor is a member of the Municipal Council, and takes an active part in educational and municipal matters, and he is in every way a useful and honored man in the community. In religion, he is a member of the Congregational Church, and in politics, is an influential supporter of the Conservative party.

JOHN ELI WILKINSON, L.D.S., D. D. S., Parsboro, Cumberland County, N.S., was born at Brampton, Ont., May 9th, 1871. His parents were William and Mary (Crawford) Wilkinson, the former being a merchant and farmer, and a native of the County of Peel. Dr. Wilkinson received his early education at the public schools of Brampton, after which he entered the High School there, remaining until 1888, obtaining third and second class certificates, after which he taught school for one year. He then commenced the study of dentistry with Dr. J. G. Roberts, of Brampton, and matriculated at the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Toronto, from which institution he also graduated in 1893, with the degree of L.D.S., and D.D.S. from Toronto University. He then located in Nova Scotia, purchasing the practice of Dr. Eaton, and has been honored with good success during his short stay there. From present indications he is sure to secure a large dental connection. Dr. Wilkinson is a member of No. 1 Company of the 36th Peel Battalion, and a member of the Knights of Pythias. In religion, he is a Methodist, holding the offices of treasurer of the church, and S. S. superintendent.

ALEX. WILSON, of "Elmhurst," Pugwash, Cumberland Co., Nova Scotia, Collector of Customs and gentleman farmer, was born in Scotland, May 26th, 1842. His parents were Thomas Wilson and Isabella Hay, the former being a merchant and postmaster at Glass, Aberdeenshire, for many years. On the death of his father, he went to reside with his brother-in-law, Robt. McWilliam, M.D., Turtory, Marnoch, Banffshire, and received his education under Rev. Mr. Christie, Marnoch, and the academy at Abercherder. In 1866, at the instigation of Hon. Senator McFarlane, he came to this country, and through his kindness was employed as bookkeeper at Joggins, afterwards became proprietor. In 1870, he removed to Pugwash, and purchased the farm and lime quarries on Pugwash River. He has successfully and satisfactorily represented Pugwash in the Municipal Council for eight years, and was Warden four years. He is agent for Lloyd's, London, German consular agent, notary public, etc. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. He married Emeline, daughter of the late Hon. H. G. Pineo, M.L.C. He has three sons living, Roy, Percy and Pineo.

J. N. GALER, retired merchant, and a director of the Eastern Townships Bank, and mayor of Dunham, Que., was born there, July 7th, 1824. Obliged to leave school at an early age, he followed farming until the age of twenty-four, when he engaged in mercantile pursuits. He soon became one of the best known business men in the County, doing a leading trade in butter and cheese. He is a director of the Eastern Townships Bank since 1880, has been warden of the County, and a member of the Municipal Council, holding the latter office for over twenty-five years. In religion, a Methodist; in politics, a Conservative. Being a man of strict integrity, he enjoys the confidence of the community. Mr. Galer was married, May 20th, 1850, to Sarah R., daughter of the late Sylvester Armington, of Dunham, Que.

REV. A. H. VISSER, Methodist Minister, Dunham, Que., was born July 5th, 1854, in Wexford, Ireland. His father saw Capt. H. D. Visser, a native of Holland. Mr. Visser was educated at the Collegiate Institute, Ottawa, Ont., served as a probationer in the M. E. Ministry, and was ordained deacon at Farmersville, Ont. At the union of the Methodist churches, he was fully ordained, and soon became known as a forcible and eloquent preacher, and is now completing his third year in the Dunham circuit. He is also grand chaplain for the Province of Quebec in the Masonic fraternity, and a prominent member of the I.O.G.T. He was married, June 29th, 1881, to Miss Emma Woodcock, of Haybay, Ont. His family consists of three sons. Mr. Visser is one of the most effective preachers in the Eastern Townships.

WILLIAM CROTHERS, M.D., of Stanbridge East, Que., was born February 7th, 1847, at Venice, Que. His father was Robert Crothers, of that place. Dr. Crothers received his education at Clarenceville Academy, and afterwards taught school for several terms. He entered the medical department of McGill University in 1872, graduating in 1876 with honors, after which he opened an office at Stanbridge East, where he has since practised. He has gained the reputation of being a skillful physician and surgeon, and holds the confidence of his confreres as well as the public. He is a member of the Church of England, and takes an active part in politics. He also belongs to the Masonic fraternity, and the I.O.F. Dr. Crothers was married in 1881, to Miss Mary J. Beattie, of Stanbury, Que.

CAPT. GEORGE DAVIDSON, merchant miller and farmer, Bethel, P.Q., was born in Ely, in 1850. His early educational advantages were somewhat limited. In 1872, he bought a bush farm, which he brought into good cultivation, and in 1883 built a large saw mill, which he conducted in connection with his farming operations. He was burnt out in 1885, but in six months had rebuilt, and the mill was again in operation. He is now conducting a mercantile business in connection with his other pursuits. He joined the 79th Battalion in 1873, and was made Captain of No. 2 Company in 1886. He has also been a member of the Municipal Council for several years, and of the A. F. & A. M. in which order he has filled several offices. He was married, in 1872, to Miss Frances A. Davidson.

WILLIAM GILL, Inspector of Inland Revenue for the District of British Columbia, Victoria, B.C., was born July 1st, 1837, near Belfast, Ireland. He came to America in 1858, settling at Smith's Falls, Ont. He taught school for twelve years, and was appointed to the excise at Prescott, in 1870, and to Windsor, Ont., in 1871, where he remained nine years, six of which he had charge of Walker's distillery, and three years in the office as accountant. He was then deputy collector at London, Ont., for some time, and was appointed to his present position in 1887. He passed special class examination at Ottawa, in 1875, and took 1,365 marks out of a possible 1,500. In politics, he is a Conservative. In religion, he is a Presbyterian and belongs to the First Presbyterian Church, Victoria.

WM. N. ZWICKER, Merchant, West India and General Merchant, Lunenburg, N.S., was born August 21st, 1821, in that place. His parents were John H. Zwicker and Frederica L. Rudolf, descendent from the old family Von Rudolf, in Tharington, Germany. Mr. Zwicker was educated at the Lunenburg Grammar School, after which he entered his father's employ, and after his death, succeeded to his business. He is president of the Lunenburg Marine Insurance Co., and agent for Lloyd's Insurance Co., also a director of the Lunenburg and Halifax S.S. Co. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, in politics, a Conservative. Aug. 17th, 1851, he married Frances A., daughter of Henry Swymner, barrister, St. John, N.B. His family consists of three sons and three daughters. His sons are in the firm of Zwicker & Co.

FRED. SMALLWOOD KINSMAN, Physician and Surgeon, Digby, N.S., was born August 29th, 1854, in Kings County, N.S. His father was Theodorus Kinsman, a well-known farmer of that county. Dr. Kinsman was educated at Mt. Allison College, N.B., and Dalhousie College, Halifax, N.S., receiving the degree of B.A. in 1880. He then took his medical course, and subsequently a post graduate course at New York city. He afterwards practised his profession for six years at Bear River, and in November, 1891, removed to Digby, where he is regarded as a most skillful practitioner. In religion, the doctor is a Methodist, and in politics, a Liberal. He is also a member of the Masonic fraternity, the I.O.O.F., and Provincial Medical Association. He was married, in 1891, to Ella Jean Rice.

REV. JAMES L. BATTY, Methodist Minister, Lunenburg, N.S., was born June 1st, 1860, in Lincolnshire, Eng. He was educated at Epworth, Neither Hall and East Keswick College, and commenced preaching when sixteen years old, on St. Peter's circuit, Leeds, Yorkshire, Eng. He came to Canada in 1882, and was first located in Halifax where he remained three years, then Middleton, N.S., remaining two years. He was ordained in Truro, N.S., in 1887, since then he has been stationed at Mahone Bay, N.S., Ritcey's Cove, and from there, came to his present charge. Mr. Batty is a successful preacher, an active temperance worker, and takes an interest in every cause which advances religion and morality. He was married, in 1887, at Middleton, N.S., to Miss J. F. Slocomb, daughter of Jacob Slocomb, Esq.

CLARENCE CHESTER CLEVELAND, M.P. for Richmond and Wolfe, was born September 15th, 1849, at Danville, Que. His father, the late C. B. Cleveland, was one of the leading merchants of Danville, whose father, the late C. B. Cleveland, of Richmond, was an unsuccessful candidate, in 1849, for the District of St. Francis, for the Legislative Assembly of Canada, being defeated by only three votes. Mr. C. C. Cleveland was educated at the Grammar School, Lennoxville, Que. He carries on farming as well as the manufacture of leather, being the senior partner in the firm of J. L. Goodhue & Co., of Danville, his brother Geo. F. Cleveland, being the other partner. Mr. Cleveland has been mayor of Danville and warden of Richmond Co. He is president of the Danville Agricultural Society, vice-president R. D. & T. Mutual Insurance Co., director Richmond County Agricultural Society, chairman of the Health Committee and captain No. 1 A, 54th Battalion. He is a Conservative, and was first returned to Parliament at the General Election of 1891, opposing Hon. Wilfred Laurier. Mr. Cleveland was married, October 21st, 1868, to F. E., daughter of G. N. Cleveland.

CHRISTOPH. HARGREAVES, Manager of the Cumberland Railway and Coal Mining Co., Springhill, N.S., was born at Bolton, Lancashire, Eng., August 20th, 1846. His parents were James Hargreaves and Nancy Meadows, his father being a cotton spinner. Mr. Hargreaves was educated at the Cannon Row schools, Bolton, and when fifteen years of age, commenced to work in the mines at Mosshall, near Wigan, and then at Incehall, where he remained about two years. He then entered the employ of the Rainford and Victoria Coal Co., and continued with them for fifteen years, when he removed to the United States, and engaged with the Westmoreland Coal Company, Pennsylvania, for about five years, and in 1884, removed to Springhill. He worked for a time as miner, overman and underground manager, and now holds the position of manager, the duties of which he ably discharges. Mr. Hargreaves was married in 1867 to Elizabeth, daughter of John Jones, of Cheshire, England. His family consists of four sons and three daughters, living. Mr. Hargreaves is a member of the Church of England, and holds the office of vestryman. In politics, he is a Conservative.

THE LATE JOHN McFADDEN, Postmaster and General Merchant, Bishop's Crossing, Que., was born August 14th, 1833, in the north of Ireland, and died at his home, in Dudswell, Que., November 5th, 1893. His parents came to this country, locating at Lennoxville, Que., one year after his birth. Owing to adverse circumstances with which he was surrounded during his early life, his educational advantages were limited. When about twenty years of age, he removed to Minnesota, U.S., where he remained about ten years, and came back with his health badly wrecked in 1866. On account of this, he was not able to attend to business for three or four years. His first engagement, after his return, was in the capacity of travelling salesman; he was employed as such for five years, during which time his employers learned to esteem and value his services. At the end of that time, he had accumulated sufficient capital to purchase a farm in the township of Dudswell, and set up a well furnished store in connection. He successfully carried on the affairs of his farm and mercantile establishment until 1878, when he sold the farm and removed his merchandise to the village of Bishop's Crossing. Success crowned his efforts as usual, and he, in a few years, became one of the most prosperous citizens of the townships. In 1881, he was appointed postmaster, and discharged the duties of this office with great satisfaction. He was, for years in succession, a member of the Municipal Council, and was a supporter of the Conservative party, but avoided taking an active part in politics. He was a member of the Methodist Church, and held the office of steward for a number of years, and always took a prominent part in temperance affairs. Mr. McFadden was married, May 12th, 1870, to Miss Ann Eliza Westman, daughter of Elijah Westman, of Dudswell, who survives him. He left a family of one son and two daughters. The former is a successful general merchant at Bishop's Crossing, Que.

JOS. ENA GIROUARD, Notary Public, manager Jacques-Cartier Bank, and Mayor of Drummondville, Que., was born June 17th, 1855, at Stanfold, Que. He is a son of Urbain Girouard and Rosalie Brunelle. His parents were well-known farmers, and were among the pioneer settlers of Stanfold. Mr. Girouard studied seven years at Nicolet Seminary, completing a full classical course. He then began the study of the notarial profession in the office of Louis Rainville, Arthabaskaville, and terminated at Stanfold, in the office of Louis Lavergne. He was admitted to practice in May, 1881, and commenced at once in Stanfold and Marbleton, but located in Drummondville in 1882, and was not long in winning the esteem and confidence of the public, as in him was recognized indefatigable industry, integrity and executive ability. He was led to accept many public offices of trust and responsibility. He was made secretary-treasurer of Grantham Municipality and School Board, in December, 1882, which office he still fills. In March, 1886, he was elected to represent the counties of Drummond and Arthabaska in the Quebec Legislature, and was again returned for the same constituency in October of the same year, at the General Elections, which followed the dissolution of Parliament. Before the General Elections of 1890, the counties of Drummond and Arthabaska, were divided into two separate constituencies, and Mr. Girouard accepted the candidature for the County of Arthabaska, and was placed at the head of the poll with a large majority. He was again returned at the General Elections of 1892. He is a strong and influential supporter of the Liberal party. Mr. Girouard has been a member of the Municipal Council and mayor of Drummondville, since its incorporation as a town in 1888. He is also president of the Drummondville Foundry and Machine Shop. He was married, in the year 1882, to Miss Emma Watkins, a daughter of William Watkins, Esq., of St. Germain de Grantham.

REV. JOHN EZRA DUCLOS, B.A., Presbyterian Clergyman, Valleyfield, Que., was born December 18th, 1853, in Vermont, U.S.A. His father, Austin Duclos, was a native of the city of Quebec, his great-grandfather, who came to Canada in the French army, was under the command of Montcalm in 1759. In 1858, Mr. Austin Duclos settled in Roxton Falls, Que., where the boyhood of our subject was spent, and where he received his early education. His parents were pious members of the Congregational Church, and were desirous of having their eldest son a minister of the Gospel, but the death of his father, when Mr. Duclos was only ten years of age, frustrated for a time the carrying on of this purpose. When thirteen years of age, he entered the school at Pointe-aux-Trembles, where he spent four sessions, after which he entered the Grammar School, Port Hope, but feeling that his mother could ill afford to keep him at school, when seventeen years of age, he struck out for himself, and for six years, his life was a checkered one. At the end of that time, he took a three years' course in the Ottawa Collegiate Institute, and in 1884, graduated in Arts from Queen's College, Kingston. Here he took his first year in theology, his second year was spent in the Union Theological Seminary, New York, where he also took part in mission work in the slums of that city. In 1887, he graduated in theology at the Presbyterian College, Montreal. On leaving college, he was called as missionary to Portage du Fort, where he remained four years. He was married to Miss Nellie Purvis, daughter of Dr. G. A. Purvis, of Portage du Fort. In 1890, Mr. Duclos was called to Valleyfield, where he has won the confidence of his parishioners, and where he still continues, with great success. He is president of the Beauharnois and Chateauguay Union of Y.P.S.C.E., and chaplain of the I. O. F. in Valleyfield, also high chaplain for the Province of Quebec. His family consists of two daughters. In politics, he is a Liberal.

GEORGE TURCOT, ex-M.P., General Merchant, Ste. Julie de Somerset, Megantic County, Que., was born September 12th, 1851, at Ste. Marie, Beauce County, Que. He is a son of Augustin Turcot, and Margaret Tardif. He comes of families who were old and respected pioneers of Beauce County. Mr. Turcot began his education at the College of Ste. Marie, which he attended three years, completing in that time a thorough commercial course. At an early age, he manifested remarkable ability to learn, and had it not been for the adverse circumstances that prevented his taking a University course, it is beyond a doubt that he would have taken a high stand among the foremost men of the day. He was obliged to abandon his studies at the age of thirteen, after which he worked with his father for three years, and then entered the mercantile establishment of C. O. Genest, Ste. Julie, as head clerk. In 1874, he became owner of the entire business. His genial disposition made him a host of friends, and from the day the trade came into his hands, the custom rapidly increased until it has become one of the most extensive in the County. In 1887, he was a candidate for the Commons, in the interest of the Liberal party and elected by a large majority. In 1891, he was again a candidate, but was defeated. Mr. Turcot is always active at election campaigns, and has rendered good service to his party, who always look to him for support and counsel. He has also been secretary-treasurer of the municipality, a member of the Municipal Council and mayor for three years, and is at present warden of the county. For the past fifteen years, he has been president of the Board of School Commissioners, and has always been prominent in matters pertaining to education, and the general public good. Mr. Turcot was married, in 1873, to Miss M. Florida Rousseau, daughter of F. X. Rousseau, Esq., Ste. Julie, Que., who died in 1875. He was married, May 11th, 1885, to Miss A. B. Rousseau, sister of his former wife. His family consists of seven children.

THOS. HOOPER, Architect, Victoria, B.C., was born March 2nd, 1857, at Hatherleigh, Eng. He obtained his primary education in England and finished in the Public and High schools of London, Ont. He then served an apprenticeship of four years, as a joiner and builder, at London, Ont. In 1878, he removed to Manitoba and did business as contractor for two years, then he devoted himself to architecture in Emerson, after which he removed to Winnipeg and resumed contracting, subsequently going to Vancouver, B.C., where he started business as architect, and continued until 1890, when he removed to Victoria, where he still continues, with his office in Vancouver. Mr. Hooper has designed some of the finest buildings in the Province, amongst which might be mentioned the Metropolitan Methodist Church in Victoria. He makes a specialty of designing churches and business blocks, and his plans always attract attention. He is a member of the Council of the B. C. Institute of Architects, also of the I.O. O.F., I.O.F., K. of P., and A.O.U.W. In politics, he is a Conservative. Mr. Hooper was married, June 21st, 1879, to Miss Rebecca Johnson, daughter of Joseph D. Johnson, of London, Ont.

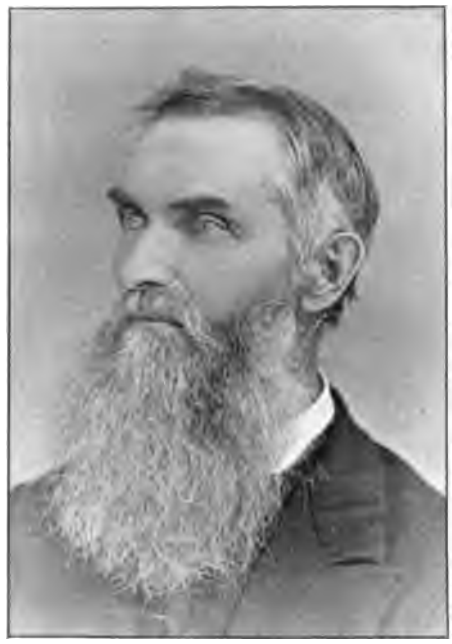
ROBERT PATERSON RITHET, Victoria, B.C., was born April 22nd, 1844, in Dumfriesshire, Scotland. He received his education in the schools of Ecclefechan, and Arman Academy, finishing at the age of sixteen. He then studied law for a short time, but subsequently entered a merchant's office in Liverpool. In 1862, he came to Victoria, B.C., and shortly afterwards went to the Cariboo Mines, where he remained two seasons, and afterwards returned to Victoria, to reside. In 1871, he commenced business for himself and has remained in business since, being now president of R. P. Rithet & Co., limited liability. In addition to his regular business, Mr. Rithet is largely identified with the leading industries of the Province. He is president of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company, the Victoria Canning Company, and vice-president of the Albion Iron Works. He was mayor of Victoria in 1885, and in July, 1894, was elected to the Provincial Parliament by a large majority. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and a member of the Masonic Order. In politics, he is a Conservative. October 27th, 1875, he married Miss Elizabeth, daughter of Alexander Munro, of Victoria.

REV. WILLIAM ANDREW GRAHAM, B.A., Rector of the Parish of Shelburne, Ont., and Rural Dean of the County of Grey, was born in County Tyrone, Ireland. His parents were John and Eliza (McCullough) Graham. Mr. Graham was educated in the Grammar and Normal schools of Toronto, Toronto University and Huron College, in which latter he took his Divinity course. His educational course was very bright and gave promise of the success which has since attended him in his chosen calling. He was ordained in the Diocese of Huron by Bishop Hellmuth, Deacon in 1879 and Priest in 1880. His pastoral charges have been Teeswater, Millbank, Markdale and Shelburne. In each of these parishes, he has done good work and continues to labor in Shelburne with good success. He is also a member of the A. F. & A. M., and the L.O.L. He was married, in 1890, to Alice Victoria, daughter of John Ford, Esq., of Markdale. His family consists of two daughters. Mr. Graham is a very scholarly man, an impressive speaker, and very popular with his parishioners.

REV. WM. A. GRAHAM.

FÉLIX CORMIER.

FÉLIX CORMIER, LL.B., Notary Public, Wickham West, Que., was born September 5th, 1859, at Bécancour, Que. His parents were Charles and Célina (Champoux) Cormier. Mr. Cormier was educated at Quebec Seminary, St. François-Xavier College, New York, and Nicolet College, Que. After completing his classical course, he entered the law department of Laval University, and began the study of the notarial profession in the office of Alphonse Clovis Décary, N.P., Montreal. At the end of three years, he graduated LL.B. He was admitted to practice in May, 1887, and at once established himself in Wickham, where he has since remained. By his strict attention to business, he has built up a good paying practice and has risen high in the estimation of the public. He is secretary-treasurer of the Municipality and School Board, and commissioner of the Superior Court. In politics, he is a Liberal, but owing to his professional duties, has no time to devote to political matters. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. His ancestors were sterling people who came from Acadia in the last century.



HUGH McMILLAN.

HUGH McMILLAN, retired Clergyman, Elmsdale, Hants County, N.S., was born at Lake Ainslie, Cape Breton, June 25th, 1832. He is the son of Angus McMillan and Annie McDonald, both of Invernessshire, Scotland. He received his education at the public schools of Lake Ainslie, the Free Church Academy, Halifax, and the Free Church College, where he graduated with honors in 1860. He was ordained and inducted, in 1861, to the charge of Clyde River, and Barrington, Shelburne County, but through ill health, resigned. He then travelled in the Upper Provinces for a time, but returned to P. E.I., and was inducted to the charge of Murray Harbor, having charge of both sides of the river. He remained there four years, when he again resigned through ill health. He removed to Halifax, and accepted the position of chief clerk in the Department of Vital Statistics, and in 1874, was appointed secretary of the department, which office he held until it was abolished. Mr. McMillan was married, in 1861, to Eliza, daughter of the late Richard Goreham, Halifax.

D. F. McLEAN, Merchant and Fishery Officer, Port Hood, N.S., was born December 30th, 1847, at West Bay, C.B. He was educated at the public schools and Arichat Academy. He was afterwards principal of a Grammar school at West Arichat, and taught in the Superior schools of Eastern Nova Scotia. Since 1871, he has been in business at the Straits of Canso and Port Hood, and is Lloyd's agent at Port Hood. He was twice elected a member of the Municipal Council of Inverness, was Stipendiary Magistrate, but resigned, in 1884, to become the representative of Port Hood in the Council. He was appointed a fishery officer in 1879, and afterwards a notary and tabellion public, a commissioner of the Supreme Court of N.S., and J. P. for Inverness Co. He is also a Mason in high standing, and at present secretary of the "Clan MacLean Association" of North America. In politics, Mr. McLean is a Conservative; in religion, a Presbyterian. He has been married twice: first, to Sarah Alice Metcalfe, of Williamsdale, N.S.; and second, to Lizzie Annie Finn, of Mabou, C.B.

D. F. McLEAN.

THE LATE EDWARD GEORGE PALMER, J.P., Agent for H. M. Price & Co., of Quebec, was born December 26th, 1837, at St. Louis de Blanford. His parents were Charles Alexander Palmer, and Elizabeth Peedy Palmer, who came to Canada in the year 1832. Mr. Palmer was educated at the Common schools. He commenced work with G. B. Hall & Co., as forester, and continued with them until the time of his death, although the name of the firm changed at different times, to Hall Bros. & Co., Hall & Price, and H. M. Price & Co. He was also a member of the Masonic Order and of the Independent Order of Foresters, holding various offices in connection with these societies. He was also prominent in municipal matters, and at one time was councillor. In religion, he was a member of the English Church, and in politics, an Independent. Mr. Palmer was married, in July, 1860, to Alice Hillyard, daughter of Andrew and Sophia Whitbread. His family consists of two children, one son and one daughter. The former now occupies the position formerly held by his father, as agent for H. M. Price & Co., of Quebec. Mr. Palmer died in March, 1894, deeply regretted by a large circle of friends.

ROBERT BENNETT MOORE WILEY, M.D., Andover, N.B., was born at Florenceville, N.B., September 10th, 1861. He is the son of Dr. Robert Wiley, of Tyrone County, Ireland, a graduate of Dublin University. Dr. Wiley received his early education at the Grammar schools of Carleton and Victoria counties, and after studying medecine with his father and brother, entered Jefferson University, Philadelphia, graduating from there with first-class honors and the degree of M.D., March 13th, 1880. He also took a special course in anatomy and minor surgery. In 1880, Dr. Wiley began practice in Debec, N.B., shortly afterwards removing to Andover, where he has been successful in building up a large and important connection, and is well and favorably known throughout that section of country as a very skillful practitioner. He is also a member of the Masonic fraternity, I.O.F., and the New Brunswick and Maritime Province Medical associations. In religion, the Doctor is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Liberal. Dr. Wiley was married, in 1884, to Mary J., daughter of James Magill, Esq., of Fort Fairfield. His family consists of one son.

CHARLES WEBB, promoter and former proprietor of the widely-known Asbestos Mine, Danville, Que., was born January 18th, 1846, in the township of Shipton, Que. He is the son of James Webb, Esq., who was one of the well-known farmers of that place. His mother's maiden name was Susannah Horan. Mr. Webb was educated at the public schools of Shipton, and at the age of twenty-five began farming on his own account. In 1879, it was discovered that a mine of asbestos, likely of some importance, was on the farm he occupied, and in that year he leased the right to work the same to W. H. Jeffery. It was little thought at that time, that this transaction was to be the source of the development of the most extensive and widely known asbestos mine in the world. For twelve years the industry was owned by Mr. Webb, but worked under the direction of Mr. W. H. Jeffery. In 1892, Mr. Webb sold out the entire claim to the latter, after having accumulated a small fortune, as the result of his speculation. Mr. Webb's business relations with the aforesaid mining industry, gave him a world-wide reputation, and he is now recognized as one of the shrewd and far-seeing financiers and promoters of industry that the Province of Quebec has had. He is a highly respected and influential citizen of Danville, and gives his support to the furtherance of every good cause. He takes a great interest in temperance matters, and has for years been actively connected with the I.O.G.T. He is a prominent member of the Masonic Order, and has held the highest offices in the subordinate lodges of that fraternity. He is also a member of the P. of I., in which society he is an officer. In politics, he is not considered a strong partisan, not having given the matter much attention, but has generally supported the Liberal party. Mr. Webb was married, in 1885, to Miss Agnes Oliver, daughter of James Oliver, Esq., who is a native of Scotland. His family consists of three children, two daughters and one son.

JAS. ELIPHALET McMILLAN, J.P., Sheriff for Victoria County, and ex-Mayor of Victoria City, B.C., was born July 25th, 1825, at Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont. His father, James McMillan, a native of Dublin, Ireland, was for many years an officer in the 89th Regiment, and served all through the War of 1812. He was present at all the important battles on the Niagara Peninsula, and at the battle of Lundy's Lane, was the only officer of his company alive at the close. His mother was Millennium (Hale) McMillan, a native of Toronto. Sheriff McMillan was educated in the public and High schools of Toronto, where he afterwards served six years' apprenticeship to the printing business. In 1844 he removed to Galt, Ont., and issued the first paper published there. Subsequently he published the *Messenger* in Bowmanville, Ont., from 1852 until 1859, when he left Ontario for Victoria, B.C., and became assistant editor of the *Colonist* in 1860. At the end of six months, he located in New Westminster, where he had charge of the *Columbian* for three years. He then returned to Victoria, and, in company with Mr. Higgins, present speaker of the Local House, started the Victoria *Chronicle*, of which he was editor for about two years. He afterwards returned to Westminster, having purchased a half interest in the *Columbian*, but the establishment having been destroyed by fire he again settled in Victoria, and established the *Daily News*, in the interest of reform in the one-man system of Government which at that time prevailed. His success as a newspaper man was marked, and he did much to make his adopted province better known throughout the Dominion. He was appointed Sheriff for Victoria County, in 1884, which office he has successfully filled. Mr. McMillan is a member of the Methodist Church, and of the I. O. O. F. He was married February 6th, 1847, to Miss Louisa Hare, daughter of Mr. Jacob Hare, of Oshawa, Ont., by whom he has one son and one daughter living.

REV. FATHER JOHN FRANCIS CARSON, Parish Priest, Riverside, Albert County, N.B., was born at North End, Portland, St. John, N.B., August 23rd, 1860. He is the son of William Carson and Mary Canning, both from the city of Derry, Ireland. Father Carson received his education at the Parochial schools of St. John, the Normal School, St. Joseph College, Memramcook, N.B., Joliette, Quebec, Laval University, taking his theological course at the latter. He was ordained at the Cathedral, Quebec, by His Eminence Cardinal Taschereau, May 19th, 1883. After being ordained, he went to the Cathedral at St. John, and then to Cape Bald, N.B., as assistant to Rev. Father Patrick Bradley, remaining with him two years. He was then appointed to the Church of St. Anthony, Richibucto, N.B., where he remained five years, when he was appointed to Riverside, Albert County, which includes the missions of the Church of St. Agatha, New Ireland; Church of the Sacred Heart, German Town Lake; Church of St. Aloysius, Hillsboro'; Church of Our Lady, at Fredericton Road, Westmoreland County; and the Church of St. Isidore Agricola, South Branch, King's County.

DR. JOHN BAPTISTE CHOUINARD, Grand Falls, Victoria County, N.B., was born at Ste. Modeste, Que., February 16th, 1864. His parents were Soter and Catherine (Miville) Chouinard, both of the parish of Ste. Modeste, his father being a general merchant and farmer. Dr. Chouinard received his early education at the public schools of Ste. Modeste, and then entered the College at Rimouski, where he remained for nine years, taking his classical course, graduating with first-class honors and the degree of B.A. He then went to Montreal and learned the drug business, after which he entered Victoria Medical College, graduating from that institution in April, 1891, with first-class honors and the degrees of M.D., C.M. Shortly after this, he began to practise in Grand Falls, and has succeeded in working up a very large practice in that vicinity, and also on the United States side of the line. He is a member of the New Brunswick and Maritime Province Medical associations, and also of the C.M.B.A., being president of the latter in Grand Falls. He was married, January 29th, 1894, to Ernestine, daughter of Godfroi Dickner, Esq. In politics, he is a Conservative.

P. F. DOOLEY, General Superintendent, Canada Paper Company, Windsor Mills, Que., was born December 17th, 1846, in Ireland. His early educational advantages were limited, as his father died when he was but ten years of age, when he began an apprenticeship to the paper making art. During his apprenticeship, he worked half night and day, and attended school half of each day. Later, he lived successively at Cohoes, Rochester, N.Y., Cincinnati, O., Nashville, Tenn., Chicago, Ill., Birmingham, Alabama, Bellows Falls, Vt., then St. Jerome, Que., and in April, 1890, became General Superintendent of the Canada Paper Company, Montreal, which position he has since filled. In politics, he is an active Conservative, and in religion, a Roman Catholic. Mr. Dooley has been married twice.

REV. ARTHUR PETIT, Parish Priest, West Shefford, Que., was born July 30th, 1851, at St. Damase, Que. His father was the well-known merchant, P. H. Petit. Father Petit was educated at Marieville Seminary, and afterwards served as Professor in that institution, in which capacity he remained five years. He afterwards entered the Grand Seminary, Montreal, where he completed his theological course, and was ordained by Bishop Racine, of Sherbrooke, November 30th, 1875. He was then appointed vicar at Sorel, and was afterwards sent to Knowlton, as parish priest. At the end of four years, he came to his present parish, West Shefford, where he has built a church, one of the most costly and beautiful in the townships. He is greatly beloved by his people and enjoys the confidence of all classes.

LIEUT.-COL. THOS. HENRY COX, Farmer, Shefford, P.Q., was born in 1835, at Granby, Que. He received his education at the schools of that place, and then served an apprenticeship to the carpentering trade. In 1852, he went to the U. S., and remained there until the Civil War broke out in 1861, when he volunteered service under the Federal flag. He was appointed captain and served as such until the close of the war. He returned to Granby, Que., in November, 1866, and in the same month, entered the Military School, Montreal. He was made an officer of the 52nd Battalion in 1867, and when the 79th was raised, in 1872, was appointed major, and in 1880, lieutenant colonel, commanding the 79th. Lieut. Col. Cox was married, in 1868, to Miss Martha Maria Seale, daughter of Jos. Seale, of Granby.

LIEUT. S. J. DESMARAIS, Lumber Dealer, Actonvale, Que., was born in 1838, at St. Paul, Que. He was educated in the State of Vermont, and in 1861, at the breaking out of the Civil War in the United States, enlisted under the Union flag, and was promoted to the rank of lieutenant, in which capacity he served until the close of the war. He was present at seventeen general engagements, and was four times wounded, once seriously. He followed mercantile life from 1872 until 1876, but gave it up owing to ill health from a wound received in action. He is a man of great force of character, which received full development during the trying times of the war. He is an extensive land owner in the States of Wisconsin and Dakota. In religion, Lieutenant Desmarais is a Roman Catholic, and in politics, a Liberal.

THOS. JOS. JONES, L.D.S., Victoria, B.C., was born November 4th, 1844, at Toronto, Ont. Mr. Jones was educated in the Toronto Model and Grammar schools, after which he studied dentistry for three years, and finished in New York, U.S.A. He then practised in Bowmanville, nine years, St. Catharines, fourteen years, and removed to Victoria in 1883, where he has succeeded in working up a large dental connection. He is vice-president of the Victoria Tramway Co., and president of the Board of Examiners of B. C. Dental Association. He has also one of the most thoroughly equipped dental establishments on the Pacific Coast. In religion, Mr. Jones is an Episcopalian. He was married, December 7th, 1866, to Susannah, daughter of Thos. George, Esq., of Bowmanville, Ont. His family consists of one son.

SAML. ANNESLEY CHESLEY, Judge of Probate for the County of Lunenburg, was born August 14th, 1849, at Petitcodiac, N.B. His father, Rev. R. A. Chesley, was a Methodist minister. Judge Chesley was educated at Mt. Allison Academy and University, Sackville, N.B., graduating B.A., in 1866, and M.A., in 1876. He was assistant master in Wesleyan Academy, St. John's, Newfoundland, and afterwards in Mt. Allison Academy. He subsequently studied law, was admitted to the Bar in 1873, and practised in Halifax until 1879, when he removed to Lunenburg. He was appointed Judge of Probate in 1882, and afterwards Recorder and Stipendiary Magistrate. In religion, he is a Methodist; in politics, a Liberal. In 1874, he married Mary R. Russell, of Dartmouth, N.S. He has three children.

WM. V. VROOM, Insurance Agent and Farmer, Clementsport, Nova Scotia, was born February 17th, 1833, in Clements, Annapolis County, N.S. His parents were Isaac and Mary (Spurr) Vroom, of U. E. Loyalist stock. Mr. Vroom was educated in the Common schools of Annapolis County. For thirty-five years, he worked at the blacksmith trade, after which he went into farming in which he has been successful, and at present does quite a business in insurance also. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, a Liberal. He also belongs to the Sons of Temperance. Mr. Vroom was married, in 1859, to Miss Sarah, daughter of A. Woodman, Esq., of Clementsport, N.S. His family consists of nine children living. Mr. Vroom was appointed a J. P. in 1864, and has also been a Stipendiary Magistrate since 1889.

J. JOSEPH RUDOLF, Merchant, Lunenburg, Nova Scotia, was born June 21st, 1844, at Lunenburg, N.S. His father was J. Joseph Rudolf, who died in October, 1887, and his mother was Caroline Rudolf. Mr. Rudolf was educated in the Common schools of Lunenburg. In 1869, he entered mercantile life, in which he has been very successful, and has gained for himself a high reputation for honorable dealing. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England, and in politics belongs to the Conservative party. He has also been, for a number of years, actively connected with various temperance organizations. In addition to his mercantile business, he is an agent for the Canada Life Assurance Co., and does a large business for that well-known institution in his section of country.

T. B. ESCOTT, senior member of the firm of T. B. Escott & Co., London, Ont., was born in 1856, near St. Thomas, Ont. His parents, Henry and Jane (Baker) Escott, came from England to Canada in 1855, and settled in Yarmouth, Elgin County. They now reside in Chatham, Ont. Mr. T. B. Escott was educated in Chatham, received some commercial experience in his father's store, and at eighteen went into business on his own account in Chatham, and from that time until the present, his progress has been marked. In twelve years, by dint and industry, perseverance and judicious advertising, coupled with sterling integrity and an affable manner, his one retail store had developed into four stores, three in Chatham and one in Ingersoll, in which he did a large wholesale and retail trade. In 1886, Mr. Escott sold out his stores, and removed to London, where he established his present wholesale business, and is doing a large and constantly increasing trade all over Western Ontario. In 1891, he became the sole owner of the Lion Spice Mills of London, the output of which forms a prominent department of his trade, and to handle which he has resident agents in Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal. He imports all his goods from the countries where they grow, and his coffees and all kinds of spices from nearly every quarter of the globe. "The Lion Baking Powder," "The Lion Digestive Coffee," and "The Lion Flavoring Extracts," are three lines well and favorably known throughout Ontario for their superior quality and strength. In religion, Mr. Escott is a Methodist, and has held nearly every office in his church, conferred on laymen. He is a prominent teacher in his Sunday School, and takes great interest in all religious and philanthropic enterprises. In 1882, he was married to Miss Marion M. Rogers, daughter of George Rogers, Esq., of Chatham, Ontario, whose maternal grandmother was one of the earliest settlers in Kent County, Ont. His family consists of one son and one daughter.

JULIUS WILSON BISHOP, J. P., General Merchant, Bishop's Crossing, Que., was born February 17th, 1849, in Dudswell Township, Que. He is a son of Paul Wilson Bishop, whose grandfather was the first settler of that township, one fourth of which was ceded to his heirs at his death by the Government, on account of his services in settling the country. It was in the year 1800 that he first set foot on soil in this vicinity, which was at that time a dense wilderness. Since then four generations of Bishops have arisen, and have been, since the first settlement of Dudswell Townships, among the leaders in business, in agriculture and in municipal legislation. The father of our subject was in his day among the most active farmers in the County of Wolfe. He married, in 1845, Miss R. Howard Jenkerson, a native of England. Mr. J. W. Bishop was educated at the district school, completing under the tutorship of Dr. E. Ives. At the age of eighteen he engaged in farming on his father's estate, of which he became owner ten years later. In 1883, he opened a store at Bishop's Crossing, in partnership with N. N. Walley, of Sherbrooke, under the firm name of N. N. Walley & Co. Mr. Bishop has the sole management of this business, and conducts the affairs of his farm at the same time. As a special line, he has dealt extensively in spruce gum since 1885. He has purchased and exported in one winter as high as twenty-four thousand pounds of this article. He has also been largely interested in lumber and bark, shipping to different parts of the United States. In religion, he is a leading member of the Methodist Church, and in politics, an Independent. Speaking of temperance, in which cause he is an earnest worker, Mr. Bishop said: "I have yet to touch my first glass of liquor, as a beverage; am heart and hand for prohibition." Mr. Bishop was married, January 1st, 1878, to Miss Katie Carr, daughter of Jno. P. and Fanny A. Carr, of Waterford, Vermont. His family consists of one daughter, Ethel, living.

REV. AUGUSTUS BERNIER, of Rivière du Loup, Que., was born at St. Andrews, Kamouraska County, Que., February 23rd, 1829. His parents were Francis Bernier and Adelaïde Paradis, natives of the Province of Quebec. Father Bernier received his early education at the public schools of St. Andrews, and at the Academy of St. Paschal, Kamouraska; his commercial and classical training at Nicolet College, and his theological education at the Jesuits' College, Montreal, completing his education at the Grand Seminary, Quebec, and was ordained at the Cathedral, Quebec, May 22nd, 1859. After ordination, he was appointed vicar at Chicoutimi, P.Q., where he remained one year, and was then appointed parish priest of Roberval, Lake St. John, being the first priest appointed in that parish, where he continued three years, then at Ste. Croix, Tadousac, remaining seven years, then to the parish of Ste. Emélie, where he was eight years; then St. Louis of Lotbinière, and after ministering there fourteen years, he retired, and has since lived at Rivière du Loup. He filled each of his appointments very acceptably, and was much beloved by his parishioners.

WARREN REUBEN LEET, Electrician, Danville, Que., was born January 24th, 1856, at Castle Bar, Que. He is a son of Geo. W. Leet, Esq., one of the first settlers of the township of Shipton. Mr. Leet was educated at the public schools, and Danville Academy. He began business life on his own account at the age of eighteen, as photographer and job printer. By painstaking industry and diligent attention to business, he was not long in reaching the top of his profession, and soon became known as a leading artist in the Eastern Townships. In September, 1889, he received and accepted appointment by the Bell Telephone Company, as local manager for Danville and vicinity, and in 1891, was appointed Clerk of the Circuit and Magistrates Court, which latter office he filled with credit until 1892, when he resigned, in order to accept the position of canvasser for the eastern division of Bell Telephone Company. This well-known company have an excellent representative in Mr. Leet, who has done much to promote their interests in his community. In politics, he is a Liberal. He married, March 8th, 1882, Miss Sarah Olney, of Shipton. His family consists of two children.

DR. CHAS. W. H. BOZZI GRANVILLE, of Notre-Dame du Lac, Temiscouata County, Que., was born in London, England, August 24th, 1851. His parents were the Rev. Augustus K. B. Granville, incumbent of St. James' Hatcham, London, and Miss Ellen Read, daughter of Sir Alexander Read, while he is the grandson of Sir Augustus Bozzi Granville, M.D., F.R.S., one of England's most celebrated physicians and authors, and is the direct lineal descendent of Sir Bevil Granville, of Cornwall. Dr. Granville received his early education under private tutors, and then entered Marlborough College, Wiltshire, where he gained honors, subsequently attending lectures under Sir Benjamin Brodie, at Oxford University, and graduated before a special class in London, in 1868. He then practised there for some time, but in 1876, came to the United States, settling in South Carolina, when he had a very extensive connection, but on account of ill health, was ordered by his physicians to try the climate of Canada, and commenced the practice of midwifery at the place where he now resides. He is a Roman Catholic, and a Conservative in politics. He is also a member of the A. O. F.

ORLANDO T. DANIELS, Barrister, Bridgetown, N.S., was born at Lawrencetown, N.S., March 20th, 1860. He is the son of Wellington Daniels and Lavenia Margeson. Mr. Daniels received his early education at the schools of his native town. In 1877, he entered Acadia College, Wolfville, N.S., graduating from there B.A. with first-class honors in 1881. He was at the head of his class for the last three years, and took many prizes, also a special prize for classics. On leaving college, he commenced to study law in the office of the Hon. J. W. Longley, now Attorney-General for the Province. He was called to the Bar in 1885, and commenced to practise at Bridgetown, where he has worked up an extensive business. In 1887, he was appointed Clerk of the County. He is a member of the I.O.O.F., and has held most of the offices in connection with the same. He is also solicitor for several large companies. In politics, he is a Liberal, and has done good work for his party, both on the platform and otherwise. Mr. Daniels was married, November 29th, 1893, to Mary Locke, daughter of William Muir, Esq., of Shelburne, N.S. In religion, he is a Baptist.

THE REV. JOSEPH CLÉOPHAS BERNARD, Parish Priest of Sorel, was born September 16th, 1849, at Belœil, Rivière Chambly, County of Verchères, Que. His parents were Théodule Bernard and Héloïse Préfontaine, who now have the happiness of counting in their family, three priests, one physician, one lawyer and one druggist, while the others hold honorable positions. Father Bernard received his education at the College of Montreal, and was ordained Priest, November 30th, 1875, and called to the Bishopric by Mgr. Moreau, and filled the office of Vicar to the Cathedral of St. Hyacinthe, until September, 1889. He was then sent to Nova Scotia, where for nearly three years he parochially attended the missions of Salmon River, and of Ste. Anne d'Eel Brook. In May, 1881, he was made chaplain of the Hôtel-Dieu, St. Hyacinthe. In 1884, he visited Europe, Italy and the Holy Land in quest of health, and on his return in September, 1885, was made parish priest of Adamsville, afterwards of Waterloo, and of his present charge at Sorel, in February, 1893, where he is very popular.

REV. J. C. BERNARD.

REV. R. D. MILLS.

REV. R. D. MILLS, M.A., Rector of Berthier, and Principal of Berthier Grammar School, Berthier en Haut, Que., was born at Eganville, Ont., in 1844. He received his classical education at Bishop's College, Lennoxville, where he took high honors, and received the Prince of Wales, and other medals. He received his B.A. in 1869, and M.A. in 1872. Having entered college with the intention of preparing for Holy Orders in the Church of England, this object was kept constantly in view, and in due time this vocation was actively entered upon at West Shefford, Que., Dunham, Que., Eganville, Ont., Cowansville and Sweetsburg, Que. He evinced striking talent in the management of boys, as a teacher, and in January, 1894, entered upon his charge of the Grammar School, as above indicated. This school immediately rose into high favor in the Dominion. In 1872, Mr. Mills was married to Elvira, daughter of the late John Hungerford, advocate, Stanbridge, Que., and the boys of the school have Mrs. Mills' undivided care and attention also.

ANATOLE O. COMIRE, M D., C.M.

ANATOLE O. COMIRE, M.D., C.M., St. François du Lac, Que., was born November 9th, 1855, at Yamaska, Que. He began his education at Yamaska public school, and at the age of twelve years, entered Nicolet Seminary, graduating B.A., in 1876. He then entered the Medical Department of Victoria University, Montreal, and graduated with first-rank honors, and the degrees of M.D., C.M., in 1880. In the same year, he commenced practice at Ste. Pie de Guire, Que., and continued there seven years, when he removed to St. Célestin, remaining one year, when he took up his residence at St. François du Lac. He enjoys the largest practice of any physician in his district. In politics, he is an active Liberal, and has also taken a great interest in municipal matters. He is at present secretary-treasurer of the Agricultural Association of Yamaska County, secretary of the Farmers' Club, of St. François, etc. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. Mr. Comire was married, in 1883, to Célanire Turcotte, daughter of J.-B. Turcotte, Esq., of St. Guillaume, Que.

REV. JOSEPH AMÉDÉE THÉRIEN, Almoner of the School of Reform of the Brothers of Charity, Montreal, was born at Ste. Anne des Plaines, Que., October 14th, 1840. His parents were Pierre Thérien and Clarie Drouin. He took his classical and theological courses at the Seminary of Ste. Thérèse. In order to better prepare himself to teach sciences, he was sent to pass a year at Laval University, graduating in 1865, when he commenced his career of Professor at Ste. Thérèse. He was ordained priest, September 23rd of the same year, at the Grand Seminary, Montreal. After five years of professorship, he was obliged, in the interest of his health, to go to the sea side. He passed two years as Missionary to the Acadians at Arichat, Nova Scotia. Returning to Montreal, he was nominated January 15th, 1873, Almoner of the Reform School of Montreal. Since then he has occupied this position, teaching in his leisure hours, literature, mathematics and philosophy, to a number of young people, who apply to him to prepare them for examinations.

REV. JOSEPH AMÉDÉE THÉRIEN.

WILLIAM HENRY LEARNED, ex-mayor of Cookshire, was born May 14th, 1845, in that place. His father was Wm. Learned. He received his education in the schools of Cookshire, but possessing business abilities of high order, was soon brought before the public. He was first elected a municipal councillor for the township of Eaton, in January, 1882, and in March of the following year was chosen mayor, which office he held for nine consecutive years, until the incorporation of the town, when he was unanimously chosen mayor of the new corporation, and re-elected for a second term. He also held the office of warden, of Compton County, in 1889, and was chosen to the same office in 1892. In politics, he is a strong Conservative, and organized the Liberal-Conservative Association, of the County of Compton, and was duly appointed its secretary and treasurer. He was also cashier and purchasing agent during the construction of the Hereford Railway. He organized the Cookshire Union Cemetery Company, and is one of its trustees; was one of the original promoters and chairman of the building committee of the Cookshire Model School, is an active member of the St. Francis Live Stock Association, secretary-treasurer of the Cookshire Machine Works Company, and manager of Cookshire Mill Company's store, and has charge of their office. His duties are varied and numerous, but his extraordinary tact and skill help him to discharge all with dispatch and satisfaction. A man brimfull of energy, long sighted, and having the reputation of carrying through what he undertakes, he inspires confidence in the public, and capital soon comes to the aid of any enterprise with which he connects himself. Mr. Learned was married, July 4th, 1876, to Miss E. A. Fisher, daughter of Charles Fisher, Esq., the well-known farmer of Lennoxville, Que. His family consists of two children, one daughter and one son. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England.

LIEUT.-COL. JOHN HENRY TAYLOR, Agriculturist, Cookshire, Que., was born October 2nd, 1844, in that place. His parents, Jonat. French and Eliza Olive (Pope), were connected with old families of note. His paternal grandfather was the pioneer Church of England Clergyman in Raton, and his mother was a sister of the late Hon. John Henry Pope, after whom our subject was named. Col. Taylor was educated at Cookshire Academy, and completed his studies there, leaving school at the age of eighteen. He then taught school for two years, and at the end of that time, engaged in agriculture. When twenty-seven years of age, he assumed the sole management of his father's estate, which at that time ranked amongst the best farms of the township, and he has since followed agricultural pursuits, with the exception of three years, during which time he was in general mercantile business in Cookshire, with W. H. Learned, under the firm name of Learned & Taylor. He enlisted in the Cookshire Military Troop in 1862, and later attended Military School at Montreal, passing the necessary examinations in 1865. He was appointed lieutenant of Cookshire Troop in 1866, and captain of the same two years later. Subsequently four other troops were added, forming a regiment known as the 5th Dragoons, and upon the formation of this, our subject took command with title of lieutenant-colonel. During the Fenian Raid, he commanded the Cookshire Troop, and was in active service at the Eccles Hill engagement. He has always taken an active interest in military matters, and has more than distinguished himself by his accomplishments in this line. In politics, he is a strong Conservative, and has been a member of the Municipal Council at various times. In religion, he belongs to the Episcopal Church, and has held the office of warden. Lieutenant-Colonel Taylor was married on the 29th of March 1871, to Miss Mary H. Cook, daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel Cook, of Cookshire. His family consists of one son.

JAMES O'CAIN, Mayor of St. Johns, Que., dealer in coal and wood, Custom House Broker and General Insurance Agent, was born in St. Grégoire, County of Iberville, May 6th, 1836. His father, Bernard O'Cain, was born in Londonderry, Ireland, and came to Canada in 1829, and was a pioneer settler at St. Grégoire, where he spent the remainder of his life, doing a great deal towards the advancement of the community. Mr. O'Cain received his education at St. Grégoire, and then entered the general store of Langelier, Decelles & Co., St. Johns, as clerk, remaining there two years. One of the members of the firm then withdrew, taking Mr. O'Cain with him as clerk. He worked in that capacity for eight years, when he commenced a grocery business for himself, in which he continued until 1875. He then began business again as a coal and wood merchant, in which he has since remained. In 1876, Mr. O'Cain took an agency for the London Assurance Company, which he still represents, along with twelve other leading companies. He has been a member of the Town Council for sixteen years, four of which he has been mayor. He has been justice of the peace for twenty years, and school commissioner for twenty-five years. In politics, he is a Liberal, and takes an active interest in the welfare of his party. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He is a man of great industry and business ability, qualities which together with his well-known honor and integrity, have given him the confidence of all who know him, and placed him in his prominent position. Mr. O'Cain was married, in 1864, to Miss Susan Scullin, daughter of Patrick Scullin, of Londonderry. She died in 1875, and Mr. O'Cain was married again, in 1881, to Miss Eliza O'Flaharty, daughter of Michael O'Flaharty, a native of County Longford, Ireland. His family consists of one daughter, living. Mr. O'Cain is one of the directors of "La Banque de St. Jean," and president of St. Johns' Branch of the Montreal Loan and Investment Company.

REV. DANIEL MACKINTOSH MACGREGOR, D.D., Ph. D., the Parish Priest of Bridgeport, Cape Breton, including the mining villages of Bridgeport, Old Bridgeport, Gardner Reserve and Lorway, was born at Knoidart, Pictou County, N. S., February 12th, 1837. He is the third son of Donald Macgregor, Esq., of the Macgregors of Rannoch, Scotland, and Margaret, eldest daughter of Donald Mackintosh, of Lismore, and Catherine Chisholm, maternally, of U. E. Loyalist descent. Dr. Macgregor received his early education at the public schools, subsequently entering St. François-Xavier College, a few months after the founding of that institution, where he took a seven years' course. He then went to the Propaganda College, Rome, and passed five years, graduating with marked success, both in philosophy and theology. He was ordained by the Cardinal Vicar in St. John Lateran's Church, in 1865, and returned home in 1866. For several years he was professor of the higher branches in his Alma Mater, and afterwards engaged on the mission. He was, for a time, editor of the *Casket* newspaper, and a frequent contributor besides to the provincial press. On many occasions, he has lectured on scientific, literary and religious subjects, to aid the poor, or to raise funds for struggling congregations engaged in building church or manse. Some of these lectures have been published in pamphlet form, and extensively read in his own province. His present congregation is one of the most populous in the diocese, being at the principal seat of the Dominion Coal Company. Dr. Macgregor is a man of exceptional cultivation and literary attainments, and his labors, in a multiplicity of ways, have had a far reaching effect on the large area of country over which his name is a household word. His practical sympathy for those in need of help, whether near or remote, has constrained him to efforts in their behalf, which have required much toil and sacrifice, which he has never hesitated to give.

W. WALKER CLARK, Chief of Police, St. John, N.B., was born April 21st, 1842, in that city. His parents were John S. Clark and Hannah Hunter, daughter of Sheriff Hunter, of Yarmouth County, N.S. His father was a large lumber manufacturer and ship builder. Mr. Clark was educated in St. John. He afterwards entered his father's business, and after a time, had charge of the men, which numbered about one hundred and forty, and this gave him a large experience in handling men. When twenty-two years of age, he had one quarter interest in the concern, and afterwards one third. He then served three years in the mayor's office, and posted himself in law in connection with the police. A keen reader of character, a strict disciplinarian, yet with a genial disposition, he is a model chief. He is a member of the Free Masons, Oddfellows, Knights of Pythias, Independent Order of Foresters and Knight Templars. In religion, he is Methodist, and holds the office of trustee in his church. Chief Clark was married to Kate Cleary, daughter of G. W. Cleary, barrister. His family consists of two daughters, one of whom is the wife of Dr. Harry Steeves.

REV. P. DELONG NOWLAN, Baptist Minister, Oxford, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, was born at New Tucket, Digby County, Nova Scotia, August 9th, 1851. His father was John Grant Nowlan, an extensive merchant and farmer, also a magistrate and colonel in militia, while his mother was Elizabeth John, both natives of Nova Scotia. Mr. Nowlan received his early education at the public schools of Digby, but is mainly self-educated. He taught school for eight years, and during that time was preparing himself for the ministry. He entered the Bible College of Tennessee, graduating from there with honors and the degree of Bachelor of Sacred Literature. He was ordained Disciple preacher in 1884, and Baptist minister in 1890. His first charge was the 2nd Baptist Church, of St. George, N.B., where he spent seven years, after which he was pastor of the Baptist Church, Westchester Station, Cumberland County, three years, and in 1894, took his present charge at Oxford. Mr. Nowlan was married, in 1873, to Jessie M., daughter of S. D. Sabean, of Waymouth, N. S. His family consists of four children. He is a member of the Masonic Fraternity and Sons of Temperance.

WILLIAM ARMSTRONG, Montreal, Que., was born December 1st, 1857, in that city. His uncle was well known as the leading undertaker of Montreal, having started business in that city about the year 1850. Mr. Armstrong received his education at the public schools of Montreal, after which he entered his uncle's business, in which he has continued since. In religion, he is a Methodist, a member of St. James' Church, one of its class leaders, and at present Steward of the Poor Fund, in connection with the congregation. He is regarded as a consistent Christian, and enjoys the confidence of the entire Church, as is indicated by the positions he occupies. In politics, he is a member of the Conservative party. In business, he has won universal esteem. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F., Foresters and Select Knights.

LOUIS HENRY GRONDIN, M.D., South Durham, Que., was born at St. Elizabeth, Que., December 7th, 1849. His father was Louis Grondin, M.A., school inspector, one of the best known educationists of his day. Dr. Grondin began his education at Laprairie, afterwards attending Nicolet College. In 1871, he began the study of medicine in Victoria College, Cobourg, graduating in 1876 with highest honors, and immediately began to practise in South Durham, and has now an extensive connection. He is regarded as a most skillful practitioner, and is prominently known as an accoucheur, giving this branch of his profession special attention. In politics, he is a Conservative, and in religion, a Roman Catholic. Dr. Grondin was married, in 1880, to Miss Marie Anathalie Page, who died in 1893, leaving six children.

E. W. TOBIN, General Merchant, Brompton Falls, Que., was born, at that place, September 14th, 1865. His early schooling was of necessity limited, owing to the death of his father, when he was only nine years of age. After working for some years in a saw mill, he commenced business on his own account, as merchant, in Brompton Falls, where he has been very successful. Besides his mercantile pursuits, Mr. Tobin deals largely in lumber, and is also interested in other enterprises. He was the chief promoter of the construction of an iron bridge, one of the finest in the townships, across the St. Francis River, between Brompton and Stoke. He has been a member of the Council for six years, and is now mayor of the town. He is much respected and esteemed as a public man and also as a private citizen.

CHAS. H. CLARK, Manager of St. Francis Mills, Brompton Falls, Que., was born, November 1st, 1830, at Livermore, Maine. He was educated at Bangor, Me., and immediately upon leaving school connected himself with the lumber business in Bangor, where he remained until twenty three years of age, when he removed to Nova Scotia, and continued in connection with lumber enterprises for two years. He then returned to Bangor, remaining but a few months, when he came back to Canada, locating at Brompton Falls, where he formed relations with the St. Francis Milling Company, and since 1860, has filled the position of manager with great satisfaction to the Company and the public. Mr. Clark was married, December 12th, 1862, to Miss Dorinda J. Miller, daughter of Daniel Miller, of Hamden, Me.

JOSEPH EDWARD FARIBAULT, Advocate and Q. C., L'Assomption, Que., was born there October 28th, 1855. He is the son of J. N. E. Faribault, notary, L'Assomption. Mr. Faribault was educated at L'Assomption College, graduating B. A. in 1874. He then studied law in the office of the late Hon. J. J. C. Abbott, Montreal, one year, afterwards in the office of Hon. L. A. Jetté, two years. He also attended lectures at McGill University, in 1878 obtained the degree of B.C.L., and was admitted to the Bar. He then began to practise at L'Assomption, where he now enjoys a highly satisfactory connection. December 28th, 1889, he was created Q. C. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics, a Conservative. September 3rd, 1878, he married Lætitia Lévesque, daughter of P. T. Lévesque, of Montreal.

L. L. LEDOUX, Merchant Tailor, Knowlton, Que., was born July 22nd, 1856, at Longueuil, Que. He is a son of Charles and Herretta Ledoux, and was educated at the Waterloo High School, after which he served an apprenticeship with Perry & Raymond, tailors, of Waterloo. In 1878, he started business on his own account at Knowlton, where he is now carrying on a lucrative trade, with a select line of goods in stock, his straightforward methods of doing business having won for him the confidence of his customers. He is a member of the I.O.F., a school commissioner, and a Conservative in politics. In religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Mr. Ledoux was married, in 1883, to Miss Rosanna Bolduc, of Eastman, Que. His family consists of two sons and three daughters.

THOMAS M. PRIME, M.D., Knowlton, Que., was born in 1836, in Dunham, Que. He received his medical education at Castleton Medical College, Castleton, Vt., taking the degree of M.D. in 1856. Later on, he attended the post graduate course at Bellevue Hospital, New York, and subsequently passed with honors at Montreal. He began to practise in Brome in 1859, but in 1874, removed to Knowlton, where he now resides, but his reputation as a physician extends further than his sphere of practice. He is coroner and J. P., also local editor of the *Knowlton News*, since its organization, and is much respected for his energy and industry. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, and in politics, a Conservative. He was married in 1856, and has a family of two sons and two daughters, the former belonging to the Medical Faculty.

HON. BOUCHER DE LA BRUÈRE, M.L.C., Speaker of the Legislative Council and editor of *Le Courier*, St. Hyacinthe, Que., was born July 5th, 1837. His father was Dr. de la Bruère, and he is descended from Pierre Boucher, at one time governor of Three Rivers. He completed a classical course at St. Hyacinthe, and entered the law department of Laval University, finishing his course under Sir Geo. E. Cartier, Montreal. He was admitted to the Bar in 1860, appointed Prothonotary of the Superior Court in 1870, became editor of *Le Courier* in 1875, was appointed to the Legislative Council in 1877, made speaker in 1882, 1886 and 1892. He was one of the founders and first president of the Dairymen's Association of Quebec. In 1861, he married Alice, daughter of P. E. Leclerc, Esq., N. P., of St. Hyacinthe.

REV. THOMAS QUINN, Parish Priest, Drummondville, Que., was born in the County of Rosscommon, Ireland, January, 1841. His parents were natives of that county. In 1847, they came to Canada, landing at Grosse Isle. Shortly after landing they contracted a contagious disease, and died in a few days, leaving two sons, Thomas and Patrick, to fight their own way in the world. Our subject was sent to Nicolet, and placed in the college, by a French Canadian family. He remained there from 1847 to 1860, when he removed to Three Rivers to accept a professorship in the Seminary, where he taught three years. He was ordained priest in 1864, by the Right Rev. Bishop Cooks, of Three Rivers, and was appointed Vicar of St. Thomas de Pierreville, subsequently serving in the same capacity at St. David and La Baie du Febvre. In 1869, he was appointed Parish Priest of St. Fulgence de Durham and Windsor Mills, being the first priest of the latter parish. In 1876, he was sent from there to Kingsey Village, and afterwards to St. Thomas de Pierreville. In the Autumn of 1893, he was appointed to his present charge. Father Quinn is characterized by great energy and untiring zeal.

THOMAS NORTON, M.D., C.M., Shelburne, Ont., was born in 1852, in Montreal. He graduated with honors, in 1874, from McGill University, since which time he has practised his profession with much success in Shelburne, Ont. His great powers of physical endurance have stood him in good service, while his geniality and scientific attainments, have secured him an extensive connection. He is prominently connected with several of the fraternities, notably the Masonic, Select Knights, A.O.U.W., and Home Circle. He is also Coroner for the counties of Grey and Dufferin, and surgeon to the C.P.R. He takes much interest in all that pertains to the welfare of the town of Shelburne, being closely identified with many of its business organizations, and associated with Mr. John Jelly, owns the Electric Light Plant of the town. In religion, he is an adherent of the Church of England, and in politics, a Conservative. His beautiful and costly residence, "Bell-Ayre," is one of the finest in North Western Ontario, being built of pressed brick and cut stone facings. In 1891, Dr. Norton married Annie Louise, only daughter of A. W. Roberts, of Port Perry, Ont.

DR. JOHN NEWTON, President of the Deseronto L. C. A., was born in Kingston, Ont., in 1842. He is descended from an old Scotch family, the Newtons, of Newton. Dr. Newton was educated at Queen's College School, afterwards entered the University of Queen's College, receiving the degree of M.D. in 1866. He practised his profession in Portsmouth, and at the same time, acted as assistant to the late I. P. Litchfield, medical superintendent of Rockwood Asylum, and after his death, for some time under the late Dr. Dickson, physician to the Prison Hospital and medical superintendent of Rockwood. He removed to Mill Point, now Deseronto, in 1870. He was appointed physician to the Mohawks in 1873, and elected Reeve of the village of Deseronto, by acclamation, in 1885. He received the nomination for the riding of East Hastings for the Local Legislature, but owing to business engagements, retired in favor of the present member, W. P. Hudson, Esq. He was re-elected Reeve of the town of Deseronto, in 1893, by acclamation, and Health Officer for 1894. In 1890, he was elected chairman of Deseronto High School, and held office until nominated for reeve. During boyhood days, in Kingston, he had the pleasure of the acquaintance of the late premier, Sir John A. Macdonald, which continued until his death. In 1860, Dr. Newton took an active part in the volunteer movement, and organized the Portsmouth Rifles, which afterwards became No. 7 Company of the 14th Battalion, since attached to the 48th Battalion of Frontenac. It falls to the lot of but few men to possess the many qualifications which have brought Dr. Newton the esteem and confidence with which he is so generally regarded. He enjoys his popularity without ostentation, his medical skill is always at the disposition of his patients and he is on the way to take even a higher position in future. He was married, in 1880, to Miss Sarah A. Smith, of Smithfield, who died in 1886, leaving two children. He afterwards married Lottie A. Bonter, of Brighton, by whom he also has two children.

HERBERT DUDLEY SMITH, Gentleman Farmer, "Ingleside," Compton, Que., was born May 31st, 1867, in the city of Montreal. His parents were Samuel G. and Mary Isabella (Macfarlane) Smith. His father was head partner of the firm of Smith & Cochrane, boot and shoe manufacturers, Montreal, one of the largest and most noted concerns in the city at that period. He died, December 5th, 1868, and his wife in 1872. Our subject began his education at Bishop's College, Lennoxville, where he remained six years, when he went to Scotland, and continued his studies in Loretto University, Musselburgh, near Edinburgh, taking a special course in modern languages and chemistry. From here, he removed to Geneva, Switzerland, to perfect his knowledge of the French and German languages. In August, 1887, he returned to Scotland to prepare for a tour around the world. After visiting Italy, Egypt, India, Burmah, China and Japan, he landed on the Pacific Coast of America, visiting all the important western cities. He returned to Montreal in the winter of 1888. He now resolved to devote his life to scientific farming, on which subject he had gathered much valuable information, especially in Scotland. In June, 1889, he began farming operations on his late father's estate in Compton, Que., a portion of which had been in the family name since 1808. His estate known as "Ingleside" farm consists of over nine hundred acres, situated in the best farming district of the province. The affairs of his farm are carried on after the most scientific methods. In 1892, he was elected a member of the Municipal Council of Compton, and in the following year was made mayor. Owing to a portion of the municipality in which Mr. Smith resides being set off as a village corporation in the latter part of 1893, he resigned his seat in the old council, and six months later, was elected a member of the village council. On the 7th of December, 1892, Mr. Smith was married to Miss Mary L. Irish, daughter of D. T. Irish, Esq., of Montreal.

G. ORMOND FORSYTH, B.A., LL.B., Barrister-at-Law, Port Hawkesbury, C.B., was born November 28th, 1854, in the township of Horton, Kings County, N.S. His father's name was Enoch A. Forsyth, while his mother's name was Rebecca (Bishop) Forsyth. After receiving his early education, Mr. Forsyth entered Acadia University, where he studied classics and the higher mathematics, graduating B.A., in 1879. He afterwards entered Dalhousie Law School, where he graduated Bachelor of Laws, as above indicated, in 1889. He was called to the Bar of the Province of Nova Scotia in 1889, and at once began to practice at Port Hawkesbury, C.B., where he has since continued, having build up an important legal connection. He takes a high place among the members of his profession, owing to his natural ability and educational attainments. In addition to his professional duties, Mr. Forsyth is Stipendiary Magistrate of the town and also Recorder. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, a Liberal, and a strong Prohibitionist.

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REV. F. L. BROWN, B.A.

REV. F. L. BROWN, B. A., Methodist Minister, Alliston, Ont., was born in 1863, near Georgetown, Ont. His parents were Joseph and Mary Ann (Calder) Brown, both now living, and residing at Coldwater, Ont., being active members of the Methodist Church and highly respected people. After receiving his early education at the public schools, Mr. Brown entered Albert College, Belleville, afterwards Victoria University, Cobourg, graduating in 1891. He was ordained to the ministry of the Methodist Church, in 1894. Before ordination, he was stationed one year at Ardtrea, and two at Woodbridge, where he did good work. In 1894, he was appointed to West Essa, whose parsonage is located in Alliston, and fills the charge there with much acceptance, being very popular with all, and doing a good work among the young people of his congregation. Mr. Brown was married, in 1894, to Miss Elsie Reed, daughter of Owen Reed, Esq., of Belleville, Ont., a highly respected resident of that city, and a prominent worker in the Methodist Church.

ALEXANDER LANG.

ALEXANDER LANG, Gaoler, Barrie, Ont., was born in 1810, in County Cavan, Ireland. He came to Canada with his parents, when only eight years of age, worked on the farm until 22, when he learned the trade of carpenter and millwright. He removed to Barrie in 1843, and received the appointment of gaoler in 1852. Mr. Lang is a staunch temperance advocate, having joined the first Temperance Society organized North of Little York, (now Toronto), at the age of fourteen. He sees so many wrecks caused by strong drink, that his evidence is weighty, and as he advances in years, his purpose in life, as an advanced prohibitionist, becomes more and more tenaciously fixed. Nearly all his prisoners come to him through intemperance, and he often seeks to reclaim them in various ways. In religion, he is a Methodist, formerly a class leader and teacher in Sunday School, but now holds Divine Service in the jail every Sunday. In politics, he is a staunch Reformer. Mr. Lang has been married three times, and has a family of five daughters, living.

WM. LEVESCONTE, J. P., Merchant, Descouse, Cape Breton, was born in Jersey Island, English Channel, November 28th, 1832. His father was Peter LeVesconte, while his mother's name was Jane Malzard, the former being a partner of the firm of DeCarteret & LeVesconte, who established themselves in Arichat in 1818. The latter retired in 1864, and was succeeded by his sons, Isaac and William. In 1868, Mr. Isaac LeVesconte retired from the firm, leaving the business in the hands of our subject, Wm. LeVesconte. In politics, he is a Conservative, was for three years warden of the County of Richmond, and at present holds the office of school commissioner. In religion, he is an Epicopalian. He was married, in 1855, to Miss Caroline H. Cutler, daughter of the late Hon. R. M. Cutler. His family consists of three sons and two daughters. His sons are engaged in business with him, and now carry on their operations under the name of Wm. LeVesconte & Sons, in Descouse and River Bourgeois, Cape Breton, doing a successful trade.

WM. LEVESCONTE, J.P.

ROBERT WATSON, Mechanical Superintendant of the Globe Casket Works, London, Ont., was born in 1837, in Cumberland, Eng. He came to Canada in 1851, located in Toronto, followed the carpenter trade for six years, after which he was with Jacques & Hay, furniture manufacturers, Toronto, for seven years. He was then in the employ of the Upper Canada Furniture Co., Bowmanville, for nine years, and for the next sixteen years, was engaged in Toronto, manufacturing undertakers' supplies. In 1891, in company with Messrs. Coles & Ferguson, he established the Globe Casket Works, which employs nearly 100 hands, with an annual output of over $100,000. Being a practical workman, Mr. Watson is well fitted for his present position. In religion, he is a Methodist. He also belongs to the Masonic Fraternity. In 1866, he was married to Miss Clarke, of Toronto.

FRED. W. COLES, Business Manager of the Globe Casket Works, London, Ont., was born in 1848, in Stroud, Gloucestershire, Eng. He was apprenticed to an iron monger in Tewksbury, where he remained until 1868, when he accepted a position in Gloucester, remaining until he came to Canada, where in 1870, he entered the employ of Rice, Lewis & Sons, Toronto, for one year. During the next nineteen years, he was on the road handling undertakers' supplies, and he thus acquired his perfect knowledge of the business, and in 1891, he, with Messrs. Ferguson & Watson established the Globe Casket Works, each holding a third interest. Mr. Coles is prompt and honorable, and his customers are among the best men in the country. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M,, and an adherent of the Methodist Church. In 1878, he married Miss Grass, of Columbus, Ont.

JOHN FERGUSON, of Messrs. Watson, Coles & Ferguson, comprising the Globe Casket Works, London, Ont., was born April 20th, 1834, in Sterling, Scotland. He was educated in the Sterling Grammar School, and then served an apprenticeship to the upholstering business. He came to Canada in 1856, locating in London, and soon after began the upholstering and undertaking business. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a staunch Reformer. He has been an alderman of the city, and is now president of the London St. Andrew's Society. In 1892, he was largely instrumental in bringing the Globe Casket Works to London. Mr. Ferguson is a member of the A. F. & A. M., I. O. O. F. and Royal Arcanum, and has held high offices in each. He has been married twice : first in 1852, to Elizabeth Rodgers, of Leith, Scotland, and second in 1881, to Mrs. Carrie Thompson, of London, Ont.

JAMES A. YOUNG, Merchant, of the firm of Young & Kester, Thamesford, Ont., was born 1851, at Pennfield, Charlotte County, N. B. His parents were Isaac and Lydia (Hawkings) Young, the former of U. E. Loyalist stock. They removed to Ontario in 1856, settling in Whitevale, Ontario County, where Mr. Young received his early education. In 1870 he obtained a teacher's certificate, after which he taught the Altona public school successfully for four years. Resigning, he attended the Normal School, Toronto, obtained a second grade "A" certificate, and in 1875, was appointed Principal of the Fergus public schools, which he raised to a high state of efficiency. In 1882 he resigned and went on a business trip to the West Indies for one year. Returning, he formed a business connection with a Toronto firm, and travelled from the Atlantic to the Pacific. In 1885, he purchased an old and well-established general store business, in Thamesford, and formed the partnership of Young & Kester, which still continues. This firm possesses the confidence of their large patronage, and they are doing a business of extensive proportions. He is a Liberal in politics, a Free Trader from principle, and an active and influential member of his party. In Fergus, he held, as now in Thamesford, the leading position in the choral worship in the Presbyterian Church. He is a Past D.D. G.M., and a Past Grand Officer of the Grand Lodge of the I.O. O.F., and is one of the best posted and enthusiastic members of the Order in Canada. He is also a prominent member of the A.F. & A.M. Mr. Young was married to Miss M. A. Creighton, of Beachville, Ont., in 1883. His family consists of one son. His push has ever carried him to the front, his early disadvantages only proving incentives to greater effort, while he took for his motto "honesty is the best policy," and this principle he has never regretted. Yet in the prime of life, doubtless a higher sphere of usefulness awaits him.

MICHAEL LEONARD, Merchant, Wickham West, Que., was born September 4th, 1835, at St. François du Lac, Que. His parents were Francis L. and Anne O'Reilly. Mr. Leonard after obtaining a business education, followed agricultural pursuits, whilst filling various public offices, such as secretary-treasurer of the Municipality, Mayor and School Commissioner. He was a Justice of the Peace before Confederation, was also the first postmaster of the place, which position he resigned, and was selected as Conservative candidate for the Local Legislature in 1878 for Drummond and Arthabaska, but was defeated. In 1879, he opened a general store in the village of Wickham West, which he has since conducted with success. Mr. Leonard was married, in 1877, to Miss Marion Patterson, of Montreal.

J. T. CAYA, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Drummond, Drummondville, Que., was born June 16th, 1836, at La Baie du Febvre, Yamaska County, Que. He was educated at Drummondville, and at the age of nineteen, entered the office of R. N. Watts, as clerk. He then entered Montpelier Vt. Academy for the purpose of mastering the English language, and remained there two years. Returning to his native place, he served as copying clerk for a time, and in February, 1859, was appointed clerk of the Circuit Court. He was made secretary treasurer of the County of Drummond in 1866, and still holds that position. In 1882, he founded St. Vincent de Paul Society, and has been president of that organization since. He has once been pressed to stand for parliamentary honors by the Conservative party, but has declined.

SIMÉON LONGTIN, M.D., Mayor of Laprairie, Que., was born in St. Constant in 1844. His parents were Abraham and Esther (Montchamp) Longtin, who belonged to French families of rank and distinction. Dr. Longtin attended Jacques-Cartier College in Montreal, where he received his classical course, and was successful in winning the first prize. He then attended Victoria College in the same city, and took a course in medicine, graduating in 1868. He also studied at Paris and at London, for two years, 1873-74. He has now a very large practice in Laprairie, and is widely known as a skillful physician, and much respected as a citizen. In religion, the Doctor is a Roman Catholic, and in politics, an Independent. In 1869, he married Emma Bourassa, of Laprairie. His family consists of three sons and two daughters.

JAMES H. BARKER, Postmaster, Superintendent of the Dominion Lime Works, General Merchant, Lime Ridge, Que., was born August 14th, 1848, at Richmond, Que. He is a son of Henry Barker, agriculturist, and Sarah McLaughlin. He was educated at Richmond public schools. He left home for Vermont, and remained there ten years successfully pursuing lumber enterprises. In 1876, he assumed the position of general superintendent for the Dominion Lime Company, and located at Lime Ridge, Que., where he was appointed postmaster. He is a member of the Royal Arch Masons, and I.O.O.F. In politics, he is a Conservative, and in religion, member of the English Church, being warden in St. Paul's Church, Marbleton. He married, in 1869, Mary M., daughter of R. J. Carpenter, St. John, N.B.

GEO. ALBERT BRITTAIN, Mill Owner, Bristol, Carleton County, N. B., was born at Woodstock, N. B., 1841. He is the son of William and Hannah (Longstaff) Brittain, of Irish and English descent, respectively. He received his education at the Woodstock Grammar School, and afterwards learned the trade of carpenter, after which he went into business for himself for some years, subsequently embarking in the milling business at Florenceville, where he remained seven years, and then removed to Bristol, where he owns the finest mill in the county. He was married March 19th, 1862, to Hannah, daughter of Geo. Dyer, Esq. His family consists of five children. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, and in politics, a Conservative. He also belongs to the Masonic Fraternity and the I.O.F., and is universally esteemed.

ED. MALLANDAINE, Jr., Architect, Victoria, B. C., was born June 1st, 1867, at Victoria, B. C. His parents were Edward and Louisa (Townsend) Mallandaine, natives of London, England. After obtaining a good education, Mr. Mallandaine served his apprenticeship with his father, who was the first architect in Victoria, and who also published the first directory for the colony, in 1860. He then travelled extensively through the United States, and returned to Victoria in 1891, where he has since designed some of the most important buildings. He has been a member of the British Columbia Institute of Architects, since its formation. The thorough training he received, together with his natural adaptation for his chosen calling, cannot fail to bring him to the front rank in his profession, towards which he is rapidly advancing.

WM. R. CUTLER, Q. C., Arichat, C.B., was born in 1821, at Guysboro, N.S. His father was Hon. Robert M. Cutler, for forty-two years a member of the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia. Mr. Cutler was educated in the Grammar School and Collegiate Institute, Windsor. He was admitted to the Bar in 1844, appointed Judge of Probate in 1859, was inspector of schools from 1864-69, etc., having held, in all, twenty-four commissions. He was created a Q.C. in 1890. He is also a prominent member of the Masonic Order. In politics, he is a Conservative, and in religion, an Episcopalian. Mr. Cutler was married, in 1852, to Miss Hubert, only daughter of John Hubert, of Arichat, originally from Jersey. His family consists of four sons and one daughter, the former occupying responsible positions, and the latter married to W. H. Paint, Esq., Hawksbury.

ALEX. McINTOSH, M. D., Judge of Probate for Antigonish County, N. S., was born January 26th, 1831, at Lower South River, N. S. His parents were John and Christina (Chisholm) McIntosh. Dr. McIntosh was educated at South River and St. Andrew's Grammar School, St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish, and Pennsylvania Medical College. He graduated from the latter in 1858, when he removed to Antigonish where he practised until November, 1892. For over a quarter of a century he has also been Judge of Probate for Antigonish County, and is also a member of the Nova Scotia Medical Society. In politics, he is a Liberal. Dr. McIntosh was married September 26th, 1860, to Mary, daughter of the late Duncan Grant, Esq., merchant, Antigonish. His family consists of three sons and five daughters.

JAMES GORDON HIGGINSON, General Merchant, Hawkesbury, Ont., was born there in 1840. His father, William Higginson, and his mother, Jane Tweed, were natives of the County of Antrim, Ireland, who removed to this country in 1819, settling in Hawkesbury. His father's people, though of English descent, had for several generations identified themselves with Ireland, some of whom were, and still are, substantial land holders there. His grandfather was Rector of Larne, and the celebrated Dr. Adam Clarke, a family connection. Sir James McCauly Higginson who was private secretary to Sir Charles Metcalfe during the latter's regime as Governor-General of Canada from 1843 to 1846, and was subsequently appointed to a colonial governorship, was also a close connection. The subject of this sketch was educated at Hawkesbury, and in 1860 opened a general store and embarked in mercantile life. By tact and close attention, he has built up a large business, which he still carries on successfully, and is now one of the leading merchants of the county. In 1869, he was appointed postmaster, which office he still holds. He took an active part in the early days of the volunteer movement, and during the eventful period of the Fenian troubles of 1866, was on duty at the front, and is now Captain of the Sedentary Militia in his district. For upwards of twenty years he has been a member of the Municipal Council and during the past five years mayor. Has also for many years been a useful, energetic and conscientious member of the Board of Education. He has always taken an active interest in, and been instrumental in advancing the interests of his municipality, keeping steadily in view the development and prosperity of the country. Mr. Higginson is a member of the Church of England, and in politics, a Conservative. In 1868, he married Miss Mary McGibbon, daughter of Duncan McGibbon, one of the old and respected residents of Hawkesbury, and has seven children: three sons and four daughters.

REV. J. JEHOSAPHAT SALTER MOUNTAIN, D.D., D.C.L., Rector at Cornwall, Ont., was born October 2nd, 1824. He is a descendant of Michael de Montaigne, the celebrated French essayist. To the Mountain family, the Church of England owes much. It gave to Canada its first and third bishops, and to Newfoundland, Archdeacon Mountain and Rev. Armine Mountain. The subject of this sketch is grandnephew of the first bishop of Quebec, and son of Rev. Salter Mountain. Dr. Mountain received his early education at Cornwall, and Brockville, Ont. In 1841, he entered King's College, N.S., and there gave promise of his brilliant career. He took his theological course at Bishop's College, Lennoxville, and was ordained in 1847. He labored ten years in Canada, first as a travelling missionary, then as incumbent of Coteau du Lac. In 1858, he removed to England. He took his degree of D.C.L., at King's College, in 1858, and D.D., at same institution, in 1890. He was curate in sole charge of Millston, Wilts., and from 1869 to 1877, vicar of Bulford, Wilts., but owing to the failure of his wife's health, he commenced to travel, and has since visited about one half the world. In 1882, he located in Cornwall, where he built a church and rectory at his own cost, and procured a curate, who is to succeed him, Dr. Mountain retains the title and responsibilities of Rector, without emolument. He has endowed the Diocese of Ontario with a valuable property which in time will doubtless form a large part of the endowment of a new bishopric of Cornwall. He has founded, in King's College, a professorship of modern languages, and in the University of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, a professorship of pastoral theology, which will perpetuate his name, and be of immense service to these universities. In 1847, he married Annie Gilpin, daughter of Rev. Edwin Gilpin, Rector of Annapolis, Nova Scotia. Dr. Mountain's family consists of one son, namely the Rev. Jacob Mountain, now living in the Diocese of Oxford, England.

GEORGES ANTOINE CHAMPAGNE, Advocate, Joliette, Que., was born October 18th, 1837, at Lanoraie, Que. His father's name was Gabriel Champagne, one of the early and valuable navigators, while his mother's name was Geneviève Lafontaine, a descendant of an old French family. Mr. Champagne received his education at Joliette College, where he remained six years, completing the full course at that institution. After graduation, he at once entered upon the study of law, August 8th, 1853, in the office of Mr. A. A. Dorion, Montreal, the late Chief Justice of Quebec, where he remained four years, completing his studies with E. N. Piché, of Lanoraie, and passed his examinations, November 2nd, 1858, and was admitted to practice. He at once opened an office in Berthier, in partnership with E. N. Piché, under the firm name of Piché & Champagne, continuing in this capacity for two years, when he removed to Joliette, where he has since resided. From the beginning of his course, Mr. Champagne took a prominent stand in his profession, and has steadily advanced, until to-day; he enjoys the full confidence of all his acquaintances, and the respect of all his colleagues, wherever he is known. His practice has now become one of the most lucrative in his district. His success, professionally and publicly, is due to his very thorough equipment in all matters to which he gave his attention. He succeeded because he was not only acquainted with the principles which underlie true progress, but put them into practice. He has always been a supporter of the Liberal party, taking at all times a most active part on the platform and otherwise, in all campaigns. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. September 3rd, 1860, Mr. Champagne was married to Caroline Célina Cordelia Voyer, daughter of the late D. V. Voyer, by whom he has a family of two sons, living. Mrs. Champagne died in the year 1872, and Mr. Champagne was married, in October, 1877, to Adeline Laforest, who is still living.

JOSEPH R. GÉNÉREUX, Agriculturist, L'Assomption, Que., was born in Montreal, March 18th, 1870. His parents are E. A. Généreux, and Sophie Perreault, the former being at one time a prominent wholesale merchant of Montreal, but now retired. Mr. Généreux received his classical education in the Jesuit College, Montreal, where he remained five years, when he entered the Catholic Commercial Academy of Montreal, where he studied three years, completing a full commercial course. Having selected farming for his life work, he decided to gain all the knowledge possible on that subject, and with this object in view, spent two years with Mr. Casavant, M.P. for Bagot, member of the Agricultural Council for Quebec, and judge of agricultural merit for the Province, in 1892. He then went to Vermont, where he remained two years with one of the largest stock raisers of the State. He had gained, at the age of twenty years, a better education and training in agriculture than most men acquire during their lifetime, and then purchased for himself three hundred and twelve acres of land near the town of L'Assomption. Mr. Généreux makes a specialty of stock raising, both horses and cattle, which have secured many prizes. Twice a year he visits the leading stock farms of the Dominion to enable himself to keep his herds equal to any in Canada, and he may be found at every important fair in the Dominion, with a large and certainly a most beautiful stock of horses and cattle. In 1893, he obtained a silver medal and diploma of Grand Merit, in competition with all farmers of the Province of Quebec, evidencing the superiority of his farming operations, and the fact that in farming, as in all other callings, education and training for special work will generally place a man in the front. In politics, he is a Liberal, and has taken a most active part in the interests of his party since obtaining his majority. Mr. Généreux deserves all the credit he has received for the position in life he has so early taken.

WM. COLQUHOUN.

WILLIAM COLQUHOUN, ex-M.P.P., Cornwall, was born December 23rd, 1814, at Charlotteburg, Glengarry, Ont. He was a student of the Cornwall Grammar School during the years 1825-26, and at the age of thirteen commenced a mercantile life in Montreal. He was afterwards in business at Dickinson's Landing, where, in 1841, he was appointed first postmaster, and was also first treasurer of Osnabruck Township. In 1855, he was made warden of the united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry. In 1867, he was elected for the County of Stormont, for the first Legislature of Ontario, and in 1871, was again returned. In 1876, he removed to Cornwall, where in 1878, he was elected president of the Conservative Association. In 1879, he was a member of the Municipal Council, and during the years 1881, 1882 and 1883, filled the mayor's chair. He is now President of the Electric Light and Gas Company of the town, a J. P., etc., etc. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. In 1852, he married Hester Bailey, of Iroquois, Ont. He has one daughter living.

REV. WILLIAM ELLIS, late Rector of Sackville, N.S., was born at Brighton, Eng., April 13th, 1832. He was educated at Huntingdon Grammar School, a private academy at Shoreham, Sussex, and Queen's College, Birmingham. He was ordained in 1861 to the curacy of St. Matthew's, Rugby, and took priest's orders the following year. He held the curacy of Ashby Magna, Leicestershire, from 1863 to 1865, when he became curate of St. Matthias, Bethnal Green, London. This post he held until 1867, when his health failing, he came to Nova Scotia, and was for a time curate in sole charge of Dartmouth. He was rector of Wallace from 1869 to 1872, when he resigned, and took clerical duty in Halifax, until his appointment, in 1874, to the curacy of St. John's, Lunenburg. He subsequently became rector of Sackville, N.S. and Rural Dean of Tangier, which offices he resigned in 1892, after holding them for sixteen and a half, and eight years, respectively. Mr. Ellis was married, in 1875, to Arabella L., daughter of the late Capt. Jacob Moser, of Lunenburg, N.S.

REV. WILLIAM ELLIS.

A. CAMPBELL, Public School Inspector, West Bruce, Kincardine, Ontario, was born and educated in Invernesshire. He taught school before he was sixteen years old, and was for some years Principal of the Milton and Georgetown public schools. He subsequently attended Toronto Collegiate Institute, and Toronto Normal School, and was afterwards English master in St. Catharines Collegiate Institute. In January, 1877, he received his present appointment, and has now the supervision of one hundred and eighteen schools. In religion, Mr. Campbell is a Presbyterian, holds the positions of superintendent of Sabbath School, manager and elder. He is a past regent of the Royal Acanum, district deputy grand chief of the S. O. S., and is a member of the A.F. & A.M. He was the first president of the West Bruce Teachers' Association, is an ex-president of the Inspectors' Section of the Ontario Educational Association, and widely known and respected. In 1880, Mr. Campbell married Miss Maggie, daughter of Andrew K. Boyd, of Dakota.

A. CAMPBELL.

THOMAS BRENTON.

THOMAS BRENTON, Merchant, London, Ontario, was born in 1829, in Cornwall, England. His parents were Thomas and Mary (Merrifield) Brenton, the former being for many years a prominent church worker, both as a local preacher and choir leader, and was held in high esteem. Mr. Brenton came to Canada in 1867, and established his present business in 1871. In religion, he is a Methodist, a local preacher, has been superintendent and teacher in the Sabbath School for forty-three years, and class leader for twenty years. He was also an active church and temperance worker for twenty years in the Channel Islands before coming to Canada. He takes appointments in all Protestant denominations in London and vicinity, and his services are in frequent demand. Mr. Brenton is a member of the A.F. & A.M. and I.O.O.F. In politics, he is a staunch Reformer, a Free Trader, and an influential member of the London Reform Association. In 1851, he married Miss Ashelford, of Somerset, England, who died in 1870, and in 1871 was united to Miss Le Hequett, of the Channel Islands.

JAMES JOSEPH CREMOR, Barrister, etc., St. John, New Brunswick, was born January 20th, 1868, in that city. His parents were Captain Bartholomew and Catherine Cremor. His father was an active and capable shipmaster, and for many years commanded his own ship, which was engaged chiefly in long voyages. In all the great ports of the old and new worlds, he was well-known and highly respected. His grandfather was Captain Bartholomew Cremor. For many generations, the family has been engaged in sea faring. The subject of our sketch, Captain J. J. Cremor, was educated at the Christian Brothers' School, St. John, N.B., the Public School, at the same city, St. Dunstan's College, Charlottetown, P. E.I., St. Mary's College, Montreal, Holy Cross College, Worcester, Mass., U. S.A., St. John Business College, St. John Navigation School, and King's College, Windsor, N.S. He has recently passed his examination closing the second year of his B.C.L. course, and in June, 1895, expects to take that degree. He is a ship captain and ship owner. His father died May 5th, 1888, and our subject succeeded to the management of his business one year before his death. He has travelled all over the world, visiting all the countries of Europe, Asia, Australia, South America, North America and Africa. He has also travelled extensively inland, visiting all the principal cities of these countries. Captain Cremor was married, June 23rd, 1894, to Miss Nellie E. Nyhan, of Boston, Mass., daughter of Wm. T. Nyhan, Esq., one of the large manufacturers of that city, after which he took an extensive tour in Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Russia, Germany, Austria, Holland, Belgium, etc., etc. In politics, he belongs to the Liberal party, and in religion is a Roman Catholic. He is also a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, which has branches all over Canada and the United States. Captain Cremor was presented to Pope Leo XIII, Rome, April 3rd, 1892. He has lectured in different parts of the Maritime Provinces.

JOSEPH E. PARENT, Notary and Commissioner, St. Jérôme, Que., was born at Ste. Mélanie d'Ailleboût, Joliette County, January 18th, 1858. His father's name was Isidore Parent, for many years a representative councillor in his parish, while his mother's maiden name was Emélie Hétu. Mr. Parent received his early education at Joliette College, which he attended eight years, completing a full classical course in 1880. He then entered the office of L. Desaulniers, notary, Joliette, where he remained one year, when he entered Laval University, where he studied three years, at the same time giving attention to the practical part of his profession in the office of Jobin & Pérodeau, notaries, Montreal. He passed his examinations, and was admitted to practice in 1884, when he at once opened an office in Montreal, with Hugh Brodie, where he continued one year. He then spent two years at Ste. Mélanie, and in 1887, removed to St Jérôme, where he still resides, having built up a large and paying connection, and an enviable reputation for integrity and sterling business ability. In 1889, he became a member of the firm of T. Côté & Co., hardware merchants, St. Jérôme, but the partnership was dissolved in 1891. He was for six years connected with the Militia of Canada, being, in 1880, appointed lieutenant in 83rd Battalion, Joliette. In the same year, he attended the Military School, Montreal, where he obtained a first class certificate and received the appointment of adjutant in the same battalion in 1881, which office he held until 1886, when he resigned. In 1884, he was appointed aide de camp to the late Lieutenant-Colonel de Lotbinière Harwood. He is also president of the "Alliance Nationale" of St. Jérôme, Court No. 15, and a member of various societies, and holds important offices. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Parent was married, July 7th, 1886, to Marie Honorine, eldest daughter of Claude Mélançon, of Montreal. His family consists of four sons.

JOHN EDWARD JOHNSTONE, M.D., Practising Physician and Surgeon, Sorel, Que., was born March 12th, 1829, in Dublin, Ireland. His father was Geo. Johnstone, Esq., surgeon of 88th Regiment of Foot, while his mother's maiden name was Mary Ann Carter, daughter of Dr. Christopher Carter, medical superintendent of the Military Invalid Asylum at Sorel. Dr. Johnstone received his early education on the Ionian Islands, from private tutors. He came to Canada, with his mother, about the year 1837, and settled in the city of Montreal. He continued his studies in the schools of that city, until he decided to follow the medical profession, when he entered upon the study of medicine at McGill University, Montreal, from which institution he graduated M.D. in the year 1847. He at once commenced to practise his profession at Sorel, where he has since resided, and has long since built up a lucrative connection. He has been for years the leading physician of the County of Richelieu, Que., enjoying the full confidence of the population, and standing high in the estimation of his brethren in the medical profession. In religion, Dr. Johnstone is a Protestant.

REV. WILLIAM HERRIDGE, retired Clergyman, Brampton, Ont., was born near Reading, England, July 19th, 1822. He received his education at the schools of that place. He emigrated to Canada in 1857, and re-entered the ministry of the Primitive Methodist Church in 1858, and labored as such until 1883, when the union of the four Methodist denominations was consumated. At that time, he was president of the Primitive Methodist Conference, and was one of the four presidential representatives who signed the legal documents with regard to the union, the other three being Dr. Rice, Dr. Carman and Rev. E. Roberts. His pastoral charges have been Toronto, Bowmanville, Kingston, Toronto, a second time, Brampton, Chatham, Hamilton, five years, London, four years, and Stratford, doing a good work at each of these places. He belongs to the Liberal party, but does not take an active part in political matters. Mr. Herridge was married, in 1855, to Emma Barkshire, of Reading. His family consists of one son, a graduate of Toronto University and gold medallist of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, now pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Ottawa.

JAMES MACVEY, J. P., Superintendent Reserve Mines, C.B., was born in 1844, at Memramcook, Westmoreland County, N.B. His parents were John and Ella Macvey, the former being a farmer. Mr. Macvey was educated at the Public School, Memramcook, after which he went into railroading business, and gradually worked himself up to his present responsible position as superintendent of Reserve Mines. He deserves great credit for attaining the honorable and responsible position he now occupies and fills so ably. His great strength of character, tact and unquenchable perseverance, are the elements which have largely contributed to his present success. His worthy career is ample evidence that in almost any phase of life "wherever there is a will there is a way." In religion, Mr. Macvey is a Roman Catholic, a member of the C.M.B.A., in which society he is a director. In politics, he is a supporter of the Liberal party. Mr. Macvey was married, in 1872, to Mary Jane Woodill, daughter of William and Sophia Woodill. His family consists of five children.

JAMES MACVEY.

M. H. MACKENZIE.

MURDOCH H. MACKENZIE, Merchant and Warden of Victoria County, C.B., was born August 12th, 1861, at Inlet, Baddeck, C.B. His father was John Mackenzie, elder of the Presbyterian Church, and his mother is Isabella (Macaulay) Mackenzie, both now living near Baddeck, N.S. Mr. Mackenzie received his education in the schools of Cape Breton. He was elected councillor of Victoria County, in 1888, re-elected in 1892. He was unanimously appointed warden in January, 1893. He is also prominently identified with military matters, and has been captain in the 94th Battalion since 1891. He is also a J. P., and a member of the Masonic fraternity. His thorough knowledge of public and military matters, and his constant interest in the prosperity of the community, have brought him deserved popularity. In religion, Mr. Mackenzie is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Liberal. He was married, in 1887, to Miss Marion Maude Dunlop, daughter of the late Sheriff Dunlop, of Baddeck, C.B. His family consists of three sons and one daughter.

ROBT. M. MITCHELL, M.D., C.M.

ROBERT MENZIES MITCHELL, M.D., C.M., Dundalk, Ont., was born in 1865, in Ontario County, Ont. His parents, James and Elizabeth (Roger) Mitchell, reside in Dufferin County, the former being a retired railway contractor, an elder in the Presbyterian Church, and highly respected. Dr. Mitchell received his early education in the Orangeville High School, after which he entered upon his medical studies at Trinity Medical College, Toronto, graduating in 1892, with first-class honors, both in Trinity College and the University. Immediately after graduation, he began to practise his profession in the town of Dundalk, where he has succeeded in building up a large and satisfactory connection, which is still increasing. He is a prominent official in the I. O. F., C. O. F., and the C. O. C. F. In religion, Dr. Mitchell is a prominent member of the Presbyterian Church, and holds the office of manager. He was married, in 1892, to Maggie, daughter of Donald and Flora (McIntyre) McKinnon, of Badgeros, Ont. His family consists of one son.

REV. JOHN LECKY GARDINER, Baptist Minister, Flesherton, Ont., was born in 1862, in Dalhousie, Lanark County, Ont. His parents are Wm. L. and Jane (Cuthbertson) Gardiner, now of Lambton County. After receiving his early education in the public schools, he decided to enter the ministry, and with this end in view, entered the Baptist College, Woodstock, Ont., and after leaving that institution, studied at Toronto, and was ordained to the ministry in 1894. He has been in the regular work of the ministry, however, since 1890, at Wiarton, Burgoyne, and his present charge, Flesherton. He takes a great interest in young people, and is now president of the Owen Sound Association of Baptist Young People. He is also a staunch temperance advocate. Mr. Gardiner was married, in 1887, to Maria, daughter of the late Wm. Dunlop, Esq., Wyoming, Ont. His family consists of one son and two daughters. He has a pleasant, frank and hearty manner, is a clear logical speaker, and possesses the essential qualities necessary for success.

REV. J. L. GARDINER.

JOHN JESSOP, Provincial Immigration Agent, Victoria, B. C., was born June 29th, 1829, in Norfolk, Eng. His parents were John and Mary (Phillippo) Jessop. The former died in 1894, and the latter in 1886. Mr. Jessop was educated in private schools, and came to America in 1846, settling in Ontario County, Ont. In 1853, he entered the Normal School, Toronto, where he obtained a second-class certificate which he taught school on, one and a half years, when he returned to the Normal, and obtained a first-class certificate, after which he taught for three and a half years. He then started on foot to British Columbia, *viâ* Hudson's Bay Company's route to Fort Garry, where he spent two months, and in August 1859, with one companion, reached Fort Ellice, then, with six others, crossed the prairies, the mountains, *viâ* Boundary Pass and Tobacco Plains, as far as Colville, by November 5th, then, with one companion, over the Cascade Mountains to Portland, Oregon, U.S., and reached Victoria, January 1st, 1860, being eight months from the time he left Toronto. He spent some time in Cariboo, and, in the Spring of 1861, started the *Daily Press* in Victoria, in partnership with Leonard McClure. In August of 1861, he commenced teaching a non-sectarian school, which he continued until the Spring of 1864, when the Vancouver Island Free School System was introduced with Mr. Jessop as principal of the Victoria schools. He helped to frame the first school act of British Columbia. During 1872-78, he was superintendent of schools for the Province, and, resigning in the Fall of 1878, went into the *Colonist* office, remaining two years. He was appointed Immigration Agent, March, 1883, which position he has held since, with great acceptance. In politics, Mr. Jessop is a Conservative, and in religion, a Methodist. He is also a member of the Masonic Fraternity. Mr. Jessop was married in Victoria, March 31st, 1868, to Miss Margaret Fausette, daughter of William Fausette, a celebrated physician of Dublin, Ireland.

REV. JOHN LOVELL MURRAY, M. A., Presbyterian Minister, Kincardine, Ont., was born June 8th, 1838, in Zorra, Oxford County, Ont. His parents were Alexander and Janet (Ross) Murray, natives of Sutherlandshire, Scotland, who came to Canada in 1833, and settled in Zorra in 1836. Mr. Alexander Murray was a fine specimen of the sturdy, sterling Scot, warm hearted and honorable. Being the son of a poor widow, he was twenty-one before he entered a school room, where he remained but one month. He was, however, a diligent student and had an excellent memory, so that he became a remarkably well-informed man. For nearly half a century, he was an earnest and influential elder in his church. He died in 1882, having survived his estimable wife nearly twenty years. The subject of this sketch was educated in the Public School, the Caledonia High School and the Normal School, Toronto, where he obtained a first-class Teacher's Certificate, after which he taught school three years in Oxford County. He then entered Knox College, Toronto, and took his theological course at Princeton, N.J. He was ordained, October 28th, 1868, at Baltimore, Ont., which was his first pastoral charge. In 1872, he was called to Woodville, Ont., and in 1878, accepted his present charge. Mr. Murray inherits his father's industry and geniality, has broad views, is a good speaker, and a popular and successful pastor. He is an earnest advocate of the temperance cause, a member of the R. T. of T., the Royal Arcanum and S.O.S., in all of which he is chaplain. He is convenor of the Home Missions for the presbytery, was a member of the Foreign Mission Committee, and has been chairman of the High School Section of the Kincardine Board of Education. In 1870, Mr. Murray was married to Mary, daughter of the late R. Keam, of Northumberland County, Ontario. His family consists of two sons and three daughters; their eldest son being on the *Pioneer Press*, St. Paul, Minn., and the second on his third year in Toronto University.

PEWELL MILTON BISHOP, J.P., General Blacksmith, Bishop's Crossing, Dudswell Township, Que., was born December 19th, 1848, at East Dudswell. He is descended from the same stock as J. W. Bishop, whose sketch appears in this volume. His ancestors were the first settlers of Dudswell Township, coming there in 1802, and ever since taking a prominent part in the upbuilding of this new section. Our subject is the son of Sidney C. Bishop, saw and grist miller and farmer, who was, in his day, one of the thrifty and influential men of the place. He married, in 1846, Miss Mary Rich, of England, by whom he had seven children, five sons and two daughters, who are all now settled and prospering. He died in 1891, aged sixty-seven years. Mr. N. M. Bishop is mainly self educated. At the age of twenty-one, he began blacksmithing and carriage work at Bishop's Crossing, Que., which he has continued till the present time. He was made a Justice of the Peace in 1883. He has taken a great interest in educational matters, and as a Justice; and in municipal matters has taken an active part. Mr. Bishop married, in 1870, Miss Laura M. Bishop, of Dudswell, who died in 1893, leaving one daughter.

GEORGE BALL, Lumber Merchant and ex-Mayor of Nicolet, Que., was born September 11th, 1838, at Champlain, Que. He is a son of Reuben Ball, who died when our subject was a boy. His mother's maiden name was Flavie Fontaine. Mr. Ball was educated at the public schools. He engaged in lumber enterprises, serving as manager for several large corporations, until 1878, when he purchased a saw mill at Nicolet. From the start, he was pre-eminently successful, and soon became known as one of the most extensive lumber merchants in the country. His success is due to his painstaking industry and energy, and by these qualities, he earned the capital which he used later to establish himself in business. He has been mayor of the town for eight years, has been identified with all measures tending to promote the interests of the municipality, and is popular with all. In politics, he is a Conservative; in religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. He is also a director of the South Shore Railway, and a public spirited man generally. He married, July 20th, 1864, Miss Eliza Thurber, daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel James Thurber, of Ste. Croix, Que.

GEORGE PARISH, Merchant, London, Ont., was born in 1837, in Rougham, near Bury St. Edmunds, County Suffolk, Eng. His parents were Thomas and Sophia (Lock) Parish. He came to Canada in 1857, and located in London, shortly after engaging in the tinware business, and latterly has added stoves and furniture to his stock. In religion, Mr. Parish is a Methodist, a trustee and member of the official board, a class leader and local preacher. In politics, he is an Independent. He also belongs to the I.O.O.F., the American Legion of Honor, the Select Knights, the I.O.F., and is a life member of St. George's Society. In 1859, Mr. Parish was married to Miss Eliza Ward, of Hertfordshire, Eng. His family consists of four children, living. Two of his daughters are the wives of Methodist ministers.

THE LATE MALCOLM MACPHERSON, Kincardine, Ont., was born in Scotland in 1806, and came to Canada in 1815. He learned the trade of carpenter at which he afterwards worked. He surveyed Lanark, Renfrew and a portion of Leeds counties, was a delegate to interview Lord Elgin anent affairs agitating Canada in 1837. In 1854, he removed to Kincardine, where he built the first mill. He was on the Council Board, and was also a prominent Presbyterian, being the oldest elder in Canada at the time of his death, in 1893. He was at different times president of the Reform associations of South, Centre and West Bruce, and was the soul of honor and sterling integrity. His family consists of Robert, Ellen, John M., William, James A., a prominent lawyer, and for many years, mayor of Kincardine, and Norman.

THE RIGHT REV. ALEXANDER MACDONELL, Bishop of Alexandria, Ont., was born in the Township of Lochiel, Glengarry County, November 1st, 1833. His parents were James and Christina Macdonell, natives of Invernessshire, Scotland. Bishop Macdonell was educated in St. Joseph College, Ottawa, ordained to the priesthood December 20th, 1862, and consecrated bishop, October 28, 1890. After ordination, he labored for sixteen years in Lochiel, and in June, 1879, was appointed to Alexandria, where he has remained since, for eleven years, as parish priest, and since that time as bishop of the diocese. He has been instrumental in improving and building several churches, especially the cathedral of St. Finnan's, which is a model of architectural work and beauty, costing over forty thousand dollars.

PETER S. McLAREN, J. P., Farmer and Mill Owner, Tiverton, Ont., was born in 1829, in Prescott County, Ont. His parents were John D. and Mary (Stewart) McLaren, natives of Perthshire, Scotland. Mr. McLaren was educated in the public school of his native place, but at the age of fifteen began lumbering, a business he followed with profit until he was thirty-three. Some years later, he removed to Bruce County, where he has become a successful farmer and contractor. He has been a J. P. for twenty years, and sat in the Municipal Council for several years. In religion, he is a Baptist, and in politics, a Reformer. He is also a member of the Masonic fraternity. In 1861, Mr. McLaren was married to Miss Anne Cameron, of Pointe Fortune, Que. His family consists of five children, living.

HON. ISIDORE LEBLANC, J.P., M.L.C., Arichat, C.B., was born there in 1837. He received his education at Arichat, and at present carries on business as general and commission merchant and ship broker. He is a notary public, agent for Underwriters and Shipping Insurance Companies and J. P. He was sworn in member of the Executive Council, February, 1883. In politics, he is a Liberal, in religion, a Roman Catholic. In 1885, he was made a member of the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia. He has been a sea captain for twenty-five years, received a shipmasters' certificate, in London, Eng., and owned several large vessels. He has piloted several war vessels on the Nova Scotia Coast and River St. Lawrence. Mr. LeBlanc was married to Seraphine, daughter of Simon Babing, J. P., and has six children.

REV. EDOUARD CHS. CROTEAU, P.P., North Plantagenet, Ont., was born February 14th, 1846, at Chambly, Que. Father Croteau was educated at the ancient college of Chambly, Terrebonne College, and at the Jesuits' College, Montreal, graduating from the latter in 1875, and was ordained August 29th of the same year. After five years of great usefulness in education and religion, he was appointed parish priest of St. Jean-Baptiste Church, Ottawa, in 1880. In 1884, he took charge of the parish of North Plantagenet, which he still ministers to. Since his location at that point, he has remodelled and renovated the interior of the church, built a vestry, and greatly improved the condition of the parish. He is a man of scholarly attainments, a genial, warm disposition, broad and liberal in his opinions.

CHARLES S. ELLIOT, M.D., Guysboro, N.S., was born at Stillwater, Guysboro County, N.S., August 9th, 1864. His parents are Henry Elliot and Elizabeth E. (McDonald) Elliot. Dr. Elliot received his education in the schools of Guysboro County. After having decided to study medicine, he took courses at Dalhousie University, Halifax, N.S., and Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, graduating with the degree of M.D., in 1891. He then located in Guysboro, and is succeeding in building up a large medical practice. Prior to passing his medical examinations, he was engaged in teaching in his native province. In religion, the Doctor is a Presbyterian, in politics, an active Conservative, being president of the Conservative Association of Guysboro County, and active in election campaigns.

JOHN DUNCAN CAMERON, Mabou, C.B., was born July 26th, 1830, at River Denis, C. B. He received a good practical education in the schools of Cape Breton, after which he farmed until he was twenty-one, then went to Port Hastings, as clerk, then to Mabou, where he had charge of a mercantile business, afterwards returning to Port Hastings, and remaining two years. In 1859, he went into business for himself at Mabou, where he has since remained, and since 1888, has had charge of the Cameron Hotel, one of the largest and best on the Island. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, in politics, a Conservative. He is also a Free Mason. Was census commissioner for three years and Stipendiary Magistrate for Inverness County, for twelve years. Mr. Cameron has been married twice, and has a family of seven children.

MALCOLM MACLEAN, Postmaster, Walkerton, Ont., was born July, 1818, in Mull, Scotland. His parents were Hugh and Catherine Beaton Maclean. Mrs. Maclean was directly descended from Dr. John Beaton, the last of the order of a succession of learned men that existed in Mull from time immemorial. He was buried in Iona, and his tomb bears a highly eulogistic latin inscription. Mr. Malcolm Maclean's great grandfather, Donald Maclean, was a firm believer in the "Divine Right of Kings," a warm and devoted Jacobite, and one of the survivors of Culloden Moor. His son, Neil Maclean, however, recognizing the wisdom of accepting the logic of accomplished facts, supported the Hanoverian dynasty, and thus brought the family into line with the modern history of Great Britain. The parents of Mr. Malcolm Maclean came to Canada in 1846, and brought with them a family of four sons and four daughters. Our subject had previously received a good education in Scotland. After living in Toronto, Durham and other towns for some years, during three of which he taught school, he settled in the County of Bruce in 1851. In 1852, he was appointed the first postmaster of Walkerton, which was then known as Brant, P.O., and has held that position ever since. During his career in Bruce, he has held many honorable public positions, among these being, mayor of Walkerton, captain of militia, etc. For some time, he was manager of the large milling and mercantile business of Jardine & Valentine, and subsequently became sole proprietor of the Walkerton branch. He can thus look with pardonable pride on the present prosperity of his adopted county. Mr. Maclean is a man of liberal views, of much originality and strength of character. He is a voluminous reader and in consequence a man of wide information and great powers of entertainment. He is a magistrate for the County of Bruce, a member of the A. F. & A. M., and Royal Arch. In politics, he is a Conservative. He never married.

REV. G. J. AINLEY THOMPSON, B. D., Ph. D., Aylmer, Ont., was born May 9th, 1861, at Carbonear, Newfoundland. He received his early education at the Grammar School of Harbor Grace, where his father had been in business for nearly thirty years. This school was one of the best educational institutions on the Island in those days. In 1879, Mr. Thompson became a pupil of the Model School, Truro, N. S., where, in the Spring of 1880, he succeeded in capturing the Lorne silver medal, for general proficiency. Proceeding to Montreal, the following year, he matriculated at McGill University, where he had four years of hard work, always taking a high stand among his fellow competitors. In 1885, he graduated with a first-class B.A., standing next in order of merit to the Lansdowne gold medallist. He prosecuted his theological studies at the Presbyterian College, Montreal, where he succeeded in obtaining several scholarships and prizes, and graduated in 1887, with first-rank honors, winning the silver medal and the Robertson scholarship. In 1888, he passed his final examination for B.D., which degree was conferred upon him at the annual convocation. In May of that year, he received from McGill, the degree of M. A., and in September, he obtained, from the Illinois Wesleyan University, the degree of Ph. D., for special work in the department of Christian evidences. During his college course, he paid special attention to the study of French, and obtained a valuable scholarship for proficiency in French language and literature. In September, 1888, he was ordained, by the Presbytery of London, and inducted into the pastoral charge of a small congregation, north of the city of London, where he remained two and a half years, doing good work, and removed to his present field of labor in 1891. In 1889, he was married to Miss Stevely, daughter of ex-alderman Stevely, of London, well known among the Presbyterians of Western Ontario, and highly respected by all classes.

REGINALD ST. GERMAIN LINDSAY, Doctor of Veterinary Science, Louiseville, Que., was born March 5th, 1865, at Quebec city. He is a son of the late major Wm. Burns Lindsay, who was graphic clerk of the House of Commons, Ottawa. His mother's maiden name was Henrietta Bourret. His father was identified with the Ottawa Field Battery, and was one of the prominent men of his day in military and political matters. At his death, in 1882, during the September Session of Parliament, the House adjourned, as a tribute of respect. Dr. Lindsay is descended from an illustrious family, many of whom distinguished themselves in military life. He is a brother of the widely-known Lieutenant-Colonel Crawford Lindsay, chief English translator in the Legislative Assembly, Quebec. Dr. Lindsay was educated at Notre Dame College, Pointe Lévis, and at the age of fifteen bent his studies to mechanical engineering, which he followed for ten years. In 1890, he entered the Quebec Veterinary College, and followed the study of veterinary science for three years, at the end of which time he graduated with first-class honors. He then began his present practice at Louiseville.

A. B. KLEIN, Q. C., Junior Judge of the County of Bruce, Walkerton, Ont., was born in 1851, in Berlin, Ont. His parents, John and Ludovika (Lang) Klein, are of German birth. Judge Klein was educated by private tuition, and at the Berlin Grammar School. He began the study of law in 1868, in the office of D. W. Ross, Walkerton, was made attorney in 1874, called to the Bar in 1879, created a Q. C. in 1889, and appointed Judge in 1893. He was the first German speaking barrister in Ontario, and the first German speaking judge in Canada. He was chairman of the Public School Board of Walkerton for some years, reeve of Walkerton in 1892 and 1893, and mayor in 1884 and 1885; was president of both the South Bruce and the East Bruce Conservative associations for some time, and at the General Elections of 1886, contested South Bruce for the Local Legislature. He is also paymaster of the 32nd Battalion, Bruce County, which office he holds with the rank of major. He is a Roman Catholic, and has been District Deputy for Bruce County in the C.M.B.A. September 9th, 1879, he married Sophia A., daughter of the late Richard Morden, she died in 1894, leaving one daughter.

HUGH FALCONER, Merchant Tailor, Shelburne, Ont., was born in 1855, in Murrayshire, Scotland. He is the son of Hugh and Mary (Scott) Falconer. He was educated in Elgin, Scotland, and came to Canada in 1872. He learned the tailoring trade, at which he worked in many of the leading towns and cities of Ontario and the United States. In 1880, he settled in Shelburne, where he has worked up a splendid trade, in fact, one of the largest and best in the County of Grey. Mr. Falconer possesses the confidence of all his acquaintances. He was three times elected to the Municipal Council of Shelburne by a good majority. He is a member of the I.O.F., S.O.S., A. F. & A. M., and the L.O.L., being a leading official in most of them. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. Mr. Falconer owns a number of very fine mastiffs, which have won medals and other prizes in Ottawa, Detroit, Buffalo and other places. He was married, in the year 1874, to Miss Lucia Fairbairn, of Teeswater, Ont. His family consists of eight children, four sons and four daughters.

HUGH FALCONER.

REV. J. J. REDDITT.

REV. J. J. REDDITT, Methodist Minister, Shelburne, Ont., was born in 1853, in Toronto. His parents were Robert and Margaret (Walsh) Redditt. He is an undergraduate of Chautauqua University, ordained deacon in 1879, and elder in 1881. He has filled the following charges, Lindsay, Oshawa, Port Perry, Brooklyn, Scarboro, Toronto and Shelburne. In 1893, he was secretary of the Toronto Conference. He is president of the Prohibition Association of Dufferin County, a member of the executive committee of the Advanced Prohibitionists of Ontario. He belongs to the R. T. of T., the A. F. & A. M., and the I.O.O.F. Mr. Redditt's work lies largely along the line of the Sunday school, and among young people he is very successful. He is secretary of the Sunday School Association of Dufferin County, and a member of the executive committee of the Provincial Sunday School Association. In 1878, he married Miss E. J., daughter of John Ross, a pioneer of York County. Mr. Redditt is an eloquent preacher, a man of much tact, and a popular pastor.

HENRY HELMKA.

HENRY HELMKA, Farmer and Manufacturer, Brownsville, Ont., was born in the Township of Markham, York County, Ont., in 1829. His parents were Henry and Nancy (Steiver) Helmka. He worked on the farm till he was twenty-two years of age, and then went to Tilsonburg, where he learned the trade of millwright. In 1852, he settled in Dereham, where he has remained ever since as carpenter and farmer. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Helmka enjoys an easy competence, and the respect and esteem of his fellow men, and his success is an example of what can be accomplished by honesty and industry. His early advantages were few, and his difficulties many, but perseverance and strict probity brought success, as it usually does. His wife is the daughter of the late Edward Middleton, of Bayham. His family consists of one daughter, Alice May. In his late years he is enjoying the abundant fruits of the good seed of industry, perseverance and uprightness which he had sown so plentifully in early life.

H. MINSHALL, M.D., C.M., member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario, Brownsville, Ont., was born near Brantford, April 14th, 1844. When seven years of age, his father died, and he lived with his uncle, near Thamesville, and worked on his farm until twenty-one. He then commenced to qualify himself for a teacher, and taught for six years, and during that time, by private study, obtained a first-class County Board certificate. He afterwards spent a term in the Normal School, Toronto, after which he was principal of the Scarboro School for two years. In 1877, he received the degree of M.B. from Trinity University, Toronto, and the degrees of M.D., C.M., in 1881. In 1877, he located in Brownsville, and in 1878, was appointed coroner for Oxford County. In religion, he is a prominent Methodist, taking an active interest in church matters, and in politics, a Liberal, also a pronounced Prohibitionist. He was married, in 1879, to Miss Anice A. Glover, who died in 1885. Dr. Minshall has always taken an active interest in educational matters.

H. MINSHALL.

ERNEST HALL, M.D., L.R.C.P., Edinburgh, senior member of the medical firm of Hall & Mackechnie, Victoria, B.C., was born March 9th, 1861, near Milton, Ont. After leaving the public schools, Dr. Hall continued his studies in the Waterdown High School, and Woodstock Baptist College, subsequently graduating with first-class honors from Trinity Medical School, Toronto, and received a fellowship of that institution. He then went to Edinburgh, taking the degree as above indicated. He practised in Ontario until 1891, spending the Summer of 1886 in New York, making a special study of the eye, ear and throat, and in 1887 took a course in polyclinics in Philadelphia. In 1888, he went to London, Eng., and took a course in the Moorefield Eye Hospital and Central London Throat and Ear Hospital, and in the fall of 1891, removed to Victoria. In 1893, he took a course in Philadelphia with Dr. Joseph Price, on diseases of women. Dr. Hall has received the appointment of physician to a large number of societies and insurance companies. In religion, he is a Baptist, and in politics, a Reformer. He was married to Mary Louisa, daughter of Dr. A. Fox, of Hornby, Ont.

GEORGE LLOYD McKEE, M.D., C.M., (McGill), Physician and Surgeon, Compton, Que., was born September 5th, 1866, at Coaticook, Que. His father was Geo. W. McKee, and his mother Margaret Lloyd. He began his education at Coaticook Academy, from which he graduated in 1882. He studied for his profession in Dr. Robinson's Medical Hall, Coaticook, also in Quebec and New Bedford, Mass. In 1886, he entered the medical department of McGill University, graduating M. D. in 1890, taking honors in nearly all subjects in entire course. He commenced practice the same year, in Sherbrooke, and after a year, removed to Compton. He stands in the high esteem of his fellow citizens, and is regarded as a skillful and reliable practitioner. Dr. McKee is a prominent member of the I.O.F., and is court physician for two lodges of this society. He is also Medical Health Officer for the Township of Compton. In politics, he is a staunch Conservative, and in religion, a member of the Methodist Church. Before entering McGill University, he had taken one year's course in medecine at Laval, Quebec, and afterwards made his full course of four years at McGill.

ENOCH BURDICK BROWN, J. P., Brownsville, Ont., was born in Southwold, Elgin County, in 1830. The sketch of his parentage appears on this page, as also his father's portrait. When eleven years of age, he, with the family, removed to Dereham. His educational advantages were limited. He went to school only in the Winter, and worked on the farm during Summer months. Those were the days when the teacher "boarded round." In 1855, he married Maria, daughter of the late James and Rebecca Williams, of Culloden, by whom he has ten children. In religion, Mr. Brown is a Methodist, a leading official in his Church. In politics, he is a Reformer, and is ex-president, of the South Oxford Reform Association. He has been fourteen years, first Deputy Reeve of Dereham, is president of the Dereham and Ingersoll Gravel Road Company, and president of the Brownsville Cheese Association, which, in 1893, manufactured in its four factories: Brownsville, Culloden, Bayham and Tilsonburg, about four hundred and fifty tons of cheese from nearly five thousands tons of milk.

E. B. BROWN.

THE LATE REV. B. P. BROWN.

THE LATE REV. BRINTON PAYNE BROWN, Brownsville, Ont., was born in 1797, in Genesee County, New York State, U. S. A. His mother's father was Colonel Payne, one of Washington's officers. He, with his parents and seven brothers and sisters, came to Canada in 1797, and settled on Bow Park Farm, near Brantford. His father, an intimate friend of Joseph Brant, was drowned in 1804, and the widow, with her eight little ones, had many hardships. They lived for some years near where Ingersoll now stands, and afterwards at Long Point. In 1817, the subject of our sketch, married Elizabeth Hoyes. He subsequently removed to Sombra Township, Lambton County, and afterwards to Southwold, near St. Thomas. In 1841, he, with his family of eleven, removed to Dereham, Oxford County, where he bought a large tract of land, where Brownsville now stands, which village was named after him. He preached for over sixty years, and was a man of great power and influence for good. He died in 1883, and his estimable wife in 1882, both deeply regretted.

ROBERT HUNTER.

ROBERT HUNTER, senior member of the firm of Hunter Brothers, Kincardine, Ont., was born near Brantford, Ont., in 1846, where his parents, James and Jane (Elliott) Hunter, of Irish birth, located about the year 1830. In 1856, they removed to Bruce County, Mr. Hunter being the seventh son of a large family. The medical profession was chosen for him, but his desire was to be a mechanic. In 1862, he began his apprenticeship, and has since had a vast experience, having travelled very extensively in the United States and Canada. In 1887, with his brother Alexander, he established the Kincardine Boiler and Bridge Works; each brother is a specialist, our subject being a skilled draughtsman and master mechanic, giving attention to the building of all kinds of steel and iron bridges, boilers, etc. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., also L. O. L. In religion, a Methodist, and in politics, a Conservative. In 1867, he married Isabella, daughter of the late Wm. Johnson, of the township of Goderich. His family consists of one son.

ALEXANDER HUNTER, of the Kincardine Boiler and Bridge Works, was born in 1851, in Brant County, Ont. He learned the trade of boilermaker in Kincardine, where, as a skilled workman, he had charge of the shops. He afterwards worked in some of the best and largest shops in Canada. In 1887, he entered into partnership with his brother Robert, as above indicated, and since then they have erected many of the finest bridges in Canada. Their boilers, of all styles and sizes, are tested before leaving the shop, and guaranteed by the Government Inspector. Their marine boilers, tug, clide, or upright, are proportioned with special reference to economy of fuel, having large steam and water spaces. Mr. Alexander takes charge of the boiler department of the shop, and personnally inspects all the work which guarantees the production of none but perfect work. In religion, he is a Methodist, in politics, a Conservative. He is a member of the C.O.F., the L.O.L. and the Black Knights. In 1872, he married Miss Emma Fisher, of Huron County, Ont.

ALEXANDER HUNTER.

LIEUT.-COL. EDWARD GAWLER PRIOR, M. P., Iron and Hardware Merchant, with houses in Victoria, Vancouver, and Kamloops, was born at Dallowgill, Yorkshire, Eng., May 21st, 1853. He is the son of Rev. Henry Prior, and Hannah Mouncey, both English. Lieut.-Col. Prior was educated at Leeds Grammar School, and afterwards in mining engineering at Wakefield. In 1873, he removed to Vancouver Island, as mining engineer and surveyor for the Vancouver Coal Mining and Land Company, remaining until 1878, when he was appointed Government Inspector of Mines for British Columbia. He was elected a life member of the North of England Institute of Mining and Civil Engineers, in 1875. After holding the Inspectorship of Mines for two years, he resigned to go into the iron and hardware business. He also holds prominent positions in connection with various important companies. In politics, he is a Conservative. He sat in the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, from the General Elections, July 6th, 1886, to January 23rd, 1888, for Victoria City, when he resigned to become a candidate for the Commons. He was elected by acclamation, January 23rd, 1888, and again by a very large majority in 1891. He is a member of the Masonic Order, I. O. O. F., and S. O. E., also of St. James's Club, Montreal, the Rideau, Ottawa, and Union, Victoria. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England. He is a Lieutenant-Colonel of the British Columbia Battalion of Garrison Artillery, and holds certificate of qualification, from the Royal School of Artillery. This regiment has an established strength of five hundred and twenty-five, the largest in the Dominion. In 1889, he was appointed extra A. D. C. to His Excellency Lord Stanley, and commanded the Canadian Rifle Team, at Bisley, Eng., in 1890. Lieut.-Col. Prior, was married, January 30th, 1878, to Suzette, youngest daughter of the late John Wark, of Victoria. His family consists of one son and three daughters.

JOHN WHYTE, ex-M. P. P., General Merchant, Leeds Village, Que., was born January 4th, 1838, at Dunfermline, Fifeshire, Scotland. He is a son of John and Elizabeth (Simpson) Whyte. He was educated at Beath parish school, but owing to the circumstances in which he was placed, his course at school was limited to five years. In 1851, he began work in his father's brick yard, after which he was engaged in mining at Oakfield, Fife, where his father also carried on a general trade in a small store. Mr. Whyte continued his mining operations in this section until 1858, when he and his brother Andrew, emigrated to Canada, locating at Harvey Hill Copper Mines, Megantic County, Que., where they successfully carried on a contracting business in connection with the mining industries of this place, until 1862, when they removed to British Columbia, to try their fortunes in the Cariboo gold mines. In this they were unsuccessful, financially, but Mr. Whyte states he has no cause to regret this episode in his business career, as the experience of that trip proved to be of great service to him in after life. In 1863, he returned to Quebec, and engaged as head manager of a large American mining company, that was prospecting for copper, in Sutton Township, Que. In 1865, he settled at Leeds Village, and purchased the retail mercantile establishment, which he has since conducted with remarkable business ability, building up his trade to the most important and extensive carried on in the County. In October, 1884, at the by-election, which followed the retirement of the Hon. Geo. Irvine, he had the honor of being the successful candidate in the interests of the Liberal party, to represent Megantic County, in the Quebec Legislature. He was again a candidate at the General Elections of 1886 and 1892, but was defeated. In 1859, he was married to Miss Harriet Donaldson, of Leeds County, daughter of Duncan Donaldson, of that place. His family consists of five children, living.

JAMES ROSS COLLIE, M.D., River John, Nova Scotia, was born in Pictou County, N.S., March 2nd, 1841. He is the son of John Collie, farmer, and Elizabeth Stewart. Dr. Collie received his education at the public schools of Pictou County, Truro Seminary and Dalhousie University, Halifax. He taught school for some years in Nova Scotia. He received his medical training at Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa., and at Harvard University, graduating from there M.D. with honors in 1869. He at once commenced practice in River John, and has a large practice. He is a member of the Massachusetts Medical Society, of the Pictou County Municipal Council, and is a coroner of the county. Dr. Collie married, in 1881, Margaret C., daughter of John Burns, Esq., Cumberland County, N.S. In politics, he is a Liberal.

DR. J. L. BETHUNE, M.P.P., Baddeck, C.B., was born at Loch Lomond, N.S., in 1850. His parents were Roderick and Mary Bethune. Dr. Bethune was educated at the Normal School, Truro, and Dalhousie University, Halifax, where he received his M.D., C.M. in 1875. He then settled in Baddeck, where he is in the enjoyment of a large practice. He is also a J. P., coroner, commissioner of schools, and for taking affidavits, etc. In politics, he is a Conservative, and was elected to the Local House in 1886, 1890 and 1894. He has also held different municipal offices. Is a member of the N.S. Medical Society and of the Masonic fraternity, also Lieutenant-Colonel of 94th Battalion, Argyle Highlanders. Dr. Bethune was married, in 1885, to Mary C., daughter of the late Robt. A. Jones, registrar of Victoria County.

VENERABLE DAVID SMITH, D.D., Rector of Sydney and Archdeacon of Cape Breton, was born in 1840, in Yorkshire, Eng. He was educated at the Grammar School, Pickering, and St. Augustine's College, Canterbury, being prizeman of college in theology, classics, hebrew and mathematics. He was ordained deacon in 1868, and priest in 1869. He was assistant curate of St. Margaret's Bay, N.S., 1868; Mahone Bay, 1870; Sydney, 1872; curate in charge, 1877; rector in 1888; rural dean, 1883; and first archdeacon of Cape Breton in 1889. He received his B. D. from King's College, Windsor, in 1885, and D. D. in 1890. He is lecturer in King's College, Windsor, in Old Testament Exegesis and Literature. He married, in 1880, Miss Mary E. McNeil, of Trebartha, Sydney, N.S.

D. M. CURRY, J. P., Sydney, C.B., was born at Shunacadie, Cape Breton, April 22nd, 1848. His parents were James and Mary (McPhee) Curry. He received his education at Sydney Academy, after which he was employed as salesman, and afterwards accountant in Sydney and Reserve Mines, for a number of years. He was appointed a Justice of the Peace for Cape Breton County in December, 1891. Mr. Curry is also president of the Sydney League of the Cross, Total Abstinence Society, and financial secretary of Branch 189, C.M.B.A. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and a member of the Sacred Heart Church. In politics, he is a member of the Conservative party. Mr. Curry was married, November 28th, 1872, to Cassie Downing, of Sydney, Cape Breton. His family consists of one son and one daughter.

ARCHIBALD RALSTON, Berthier, Que., was born in Berthier, November 29th, 1842. He is a son of Peter Ralston, a well-known manufacturer. Mr. Ralston obtained his education in the schools of Berthier. When fourteen years of age, he took full charge of his father's tannery at Joliette, where he remained three years, when he removed to Berthier and assumed the management of his father's business there. In 1869, he went to Massachusetts to extend his knowledge of the manufacture of leather, and in 1870, returned to Berthier, and is now manager of one of the largest leather manufactories in Canada. He has always taken an active part in municipal matters, and is a member of the I.O.F. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. In 1874, Mr. Ralston was married to Miss Ella M. Pollard, of Woburn, Mass.

JAMES RICHARD RUGGLES, B.A., Collector of Customs, Lockeport, N.S., was born October 23rd, 1857, at Annapolis, N.S. His parents are Arthur and Elizabeth Stewart (Rice) Ruggles. He was educated at the Annapolis County Academy, after which he taught school six years, and then attended Mount Allison University, Sackville, N.B., where he graduated with the degree of B.A. in 1881. In 1882, he accepted the position of principal of the High School of Lockeport, which he held twelve years, when he resigned to take the position of Collector of Customs. He is one of the highly-esteemed residents of the community, filling his important positions with credit and ability. In religion, Mr. Ruggles is a Methodist, and in politics, a Conservative. He is also a member of the A. F. & A. M.

CUTHBERT ALPHONSE CHENEVERT, Editor and Proprietor of *The Berthier Gazette*, Berthier, Que., was born at St. Cuthbert, Que., May 21st, 1859. He obtained his education at L'Assomption College, and the Jesuits' College, Montreal. He then entered the law department of Laval University, at the same time pursuing the study of law in the office of Longpré & David, and obtaining the degree of LL.B. from Laval. In 1883, he began to practise at Berthier, and is also a member of the firm of Robidoux, Geoffrion & Chenevert, Montreal. In politics, he is an ardent Liberal, and in 1890 was elected for Berthier County to the Quebec Legislature; he was again a candidate in 1892, but was defeated. He married Marie B. V., daughter of B. Rocher, notary and registrar of L'Assomption County.

CLIFFORD LOCKE, Merchant, Lockeport, N.S., was born January 15th, 1856, at that place. His father, Hon. John Locke, was at one time the youngest member of the Legislative Assembly, and was also a senator in the Federal Government, and had the honor of never being defeated in a contest. Mr. Locke was educated at Lockeport, Halifax Grammar School, and Acadia University, and was a bright student. He began the West India outfitting business in 1877, and his popularity, industry and financial ability soon won for him the growing and prosperous business which he is to-day conducting. In politics, Mr. Locke, like his father before him, is an ardent Free Trader, and in religion, a Baptist. He was married, in 1883, to Miss Margaret D. Cleland, of Yarmouth, N.S. His family consists of one son.

DR. DAMASE ROSSIGNOL, Fraserville, Que., was born in St. Denis, Kamouraska County, Que., December 11th, 1849. His parents were Ezekiel and Emilie Hudon Beaulieu Rossignol, both natives of St. Denis, the former being a farmer. Dr. Rossignol received his early education at the public schools of St. Denis and took his commercial and classical course at St. Ann's College, P.Q., graduating from there with honors. He then commenced the study of medicine at Laval University, Quebec, and graduated from that institution, July 12th, 1874, with the degree of M.D. He immediately afterwards commenced to practise his profession at Kamouraska, where he remained for nine years, and in 1884, removed to Fraserville, where he worked up a large medical connection, but which, through ill health, he has not been able to follow for the last few years. Dr. Rossignol was married, August 23rd, 1875, to Emilie, daughter of John Heath, Esq., of Temiscouata County, Que. His family consists of two sons and five daughters. He is a member of the Quebec Medical Association, and is also jail physician. He is a Conservative, and in religion, a Roman Catholic.

ALDEN LEARNED, Proprietor of the Cookshire House, Cookshire, Que., was born October 15th, 1842, in that town. Mr. Learned was educated at Cookshire Academy, and at the age of twenty-five purchased the property known as the Cookshire House, which he has owned and conducted since. He is one of the most popular men in the town. A quotation from *The Chronicle*, will give you some idea of this : "Mr. Learned is one of several public-spirited citizens of the town, who has conceived and carried through many beneficial measures in the past that have made Cookshire the prosperous place it is. His judgment has been much sought after by those in trouble from whatever nature, and his efficient help has often been extended to the weak and defenseless, where others would have passed them by. To mention the enterprises he has supported, with his money and influence, would be but to recount all the worthy ones that have been established here since he was old enough to do so." In religion, Mr. Learned is an Episcopalian. He was married, April 20th, 1868, to Miss Eliza M. Pope, daughter of Rufus Pope, Esq , and niece of the late Hon. John Henry Pope.

THOMAS J. BROWN, Superintendent of Colliery, Victoria Mines, Cape Breton, was born January 21st, 1867, at Sydney Mines, C.B. His parents were James and Margaret Brown, the former being a mechanical engineer. Mr. Brown received a good practical education at the public schools of his province. At the age of twelve years he began business life as clerk in a colliery, and until he was twenty-five years of age, continued to fill this position, since which time he has held the office of superintendent, the duties of which important position he fills with satisfaction to his employers and the public, being familiar with all details in connection with mining operations. He has had marked success quite early in life, reaching a desirable and honorable position among men. This is due to his real worth, industry and great ability, together with a strong determination to get on in his chosen calling. In religion, Mr. Brown is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Liberal. He was married, in 1893, to Mathilda Livingstone, daughter of D. D. Livingstone, Esq.

THOMAS J. BROWN.

HON. A. McMILLAN.

HON. ANGUS McMILLAN, Commissioner of Public Lands, P. E. I., was born in Argyleshire, Scotland, in October, 1817. His parents were Hugh and Catherine (McPherson) McMillan. In 1834, he emigrated to Prince Edward Island, and in 1841, commenced shipbuilding which he carried on fairly successfully until 1885. He has been for several years a director, and is now president, of the Summerside Bank. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Liberal; was first elected for Summerside, in 1869, re-elected in 1876-79-90-93, and received the Public Lands Portfolio in 1891. He is a most thorough and painstaking public officer, and fills the high and honorable position to which he has been appointed, with great credit to himself and satisfaction to his constituency. Mr. McMillan was married, in 1855, to Mary Ross, who died in 1859. His family consists of one son and one daughter, living. Mr. McMillan is a liberal-minded man, and, in both public and private life, is very highly esteemed by the many people who have dealings with him.

S. G. A. MACKEEN, M. D.

S. G. A. MACKEEN, M. D., Baddeck, C. B., was born at Mabou, C. B., November 4th, 1828. His parents were Samuel Archibald and Jane (Higgins) MacKeen. Dr. MacKeen was educated at Acadia College, also at Harvard University. After graduating in medicine, he practised at Mabou for ten years, and in 1860 removed to Victoria County, where he has since resided, and is at present the oldest practising physician in Eastern Nova Scotia. Dr. MacKeen is also a member of the Nova Scotia Medical Society, Medical Society of the County of Cape Breton, being the first vice-president of the same, and Coroner for Victoria County. He has also been a member of the Masonic fraternity for a great many years. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England, having been warden for a number of years, and in politics, belongs to the Liberal party. Dr. MacKeen has been married twice: first, November 4th, 1857, to Jane Hadley, of Port Mulgrave, N. S., and second, to Jane, daughter of C. F. Murphy, Esq., of Londonderry, N.S. His family consists of fourteen children.

HON. DAVID McCURDY, M. L. C., Baddeck, Cape Breton, was born in 1810, in Onslow, at that time the Shire town of Colchester district, N.S. His father was James McCurdy, and his mother, a daughter of Matthew Archibald, M. P. P., a U. E. Loyalist. In 1832, Mr. McCurdy married Mary Archibald, daughter of David Archibald, merchant of Sherbrooke, N. S. He pursued the avocation of farmer, and took an active part in church and public affairs, for about thirty years. In 1863, he removed to Baddeck, where he conducted a successful mercantile business, retiring in 1882. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the Provincial Legislature, in 1872, but was elected in 1874 and 1876; appointed to the Legislative Council in 1878. He still remains a member, and has been indentified with every session of the Legislature for twenty years. In religion, Mr. McCurdy is a member of the Presbyterian Church, having held the office of elder since the year 1851, and has been connected with Sabbath School work for over sixty years.

HON. D. McCURDY, M. L. C.

REV. PASCHAL PRUDENT DUBÉ, Priest of Ste. Julie de Somerset, Megantic County, Que., was born at St. Jean Port Joli, County of L'Islet, Que., January 29th, 1833. He is the son of Peter Dubé, farmer, and of Marie Claire Leclerc. He took his course of studies at the College of Ste. Anne de la Pocatière, County of Kamouraska, from 1845 to 1855. He afterwards embraced the ecclesiastical state in September, 1856, and was ordained priest at St. Anne's, October 7th, 1860. He lived at the college until July 1st, 1871, filling successively the charges of director of the School of Agriculture, established by the college, for two years, and that of director of the pupils of the college for six years, and of professor during two years. In September, 1871, he was nominated vicar at St. Gervais, County of Bellechasse, and in May, 1873, priest of Ste. Julie de Somerset, where he still continues. During these twenty-one years, he has restored the church, the manse, and all the dependencies. In 1877, he was instrumental in building the chapel of Notre Dame de Lourdes of Megantic, a mission that he had taken charge of for twelve years, and which now supports a resident priest.

REV. HENRY KITTSON, M.A., Berthier, Que., was born at Pembina, Minnesota, November 15th, 1848. His father was Norman W. Kittson, who, for five or six years, was a member of the Minnesota Legislature, and for several years, mayor of the city of St. Paul. His mother's maiden name was Elise Marion, a native of St. Boniface, Manitoba, and a descendant of one of the oldest families of those parts. Mr. Kittson obtained his early education at Berthier Grammar School, and at the age of seventeen, entered Bishop's College, Lennoxville, where he completed a full arts course, graduating in 1870 with the degree of B. A., and in 1875 that of M. A. In 1871, he was ordained by the Right Rev. Bishop Oxenden, of Montreal. He then served as missionary for seven years, afterwards being appointed rector of St. John's Church, St. Paul, Minn., where he remained four years. In 1888, he was appointed assistant rector of the Church of the Ascension, in Philadelphia, which position he occupied for four years. Since 1892, his time has been spent principally in travelling. In 1875, he married Flora Macdonald Grant, of St. John's, Que. His family consists of two daughters and two sons.

THE HONORABLE MARC-AURÈLE PLAMONDON, Arthabaskaville, Que., was born in the city of Quebec, October 16th, 1823. He completed his course of studies at the Quebec Seminary; began the study of law in 1842, and was admitted to the Bar of Lower Canada in October, 1846. He practised his profession in the city of Quebec, and attained eminence more especially as a criminal lawyer and a practitioner in the Vice-Admiralty Court. He also enjoyed a large practice before the civil courts. Mr. Plamondon consecrated much of his labor to journalism. He edited *The Quebec Artisan*, 1843-44, but this paper having been opposed by the clergy from the pulpit, was consequently short lived. He afterwards published *Le Courrier Commercial* and *Le Ménestrel*, a literary and musical periodical. Later on, 1854-59, he, together with Mr. T. Fournier, now judge of the Supreme Court of Canada, published the *National*, a strongly colored reform paper, which soon obtained a high rank in the Canadian press, and through whose spirited and independent direction, the Liberal party, as it now exists in the city and district of Quebec, was created. In the memorable Parliamentary Elections of April and December, 1858, held in the city of Quebec, Judge Plamondon was, by the unanimous choice of the party, the standard bearer of the French Canadian Liberalism, in the district of Quebec. In 1846, he was the founder of and first president of the "Institut Canadien de Québec," which is still a highly useful and prosperous institution. After having practised for twenty-eight years, he was appointed, September, 1874, a judge of the Superior Court of the Province of Quebec, an office for which he is admirably qualified, both by experience and legal ability, and which he still holds with general satisfaction. Judge Plamondon was married, November 27th, 1849, to Miss Mathilde Lécuyer. His family consists of six children, four daughters and two sons. Both of his sons are now occupying responsible positions.

JOHN TEAGUE, Architect and Mayor of Victoria, B.C., was born June 3rd, 1836, in Cornwall, England. His parents were John and Ann (Tonkin) Teague. Mr. Teague received his primary education in his native place, and at the Trivarth Grammar School. He then spent several years in different occupations, and subsequently served three years with an architect of high standing. He excelled in drawing, while at school, and was in every way fitted to make an accomplished architect. In 1856, he went to California, remaining two years, and subsequently removed to Victoria, B.C., where he found only the employees of the Hudson Bay Company, under Chief Factor and Governor Sir James Douglas, and a few colored people. July 4th, 1858, he took the first steamer that went up the Fraser River, as far as Fort Hope, from thence to Murderers' Bar, and remained until February, 1859, when he returned to Fort Langley, and afterwards Victoria. In the Spring of the same year, he went to Fort Alexander where, with others, he was starved out, and besides going three days and two nights without food of any kind on the way down, nearly lost his life on the "big slide" on the Fraser River before they reached Lafountain. Safely back in Victoria once more, he engaged in contracting for a number of years in Her Majesty's Dock Yards, and in 1875 opened an architect's office, and has devoted himself to that profession with great success ever since. Mr. Teague has served a number of years in the Victoria Council, and was elected mayor in January, 1894. He is also a Mason of high standing, and a Knight Templar. Mr. Teague has been married twice: first, to Miss Emily, daughter of the late Samuel J. Burt, of Victoria, and again December 29th, 1893, to Miss Eliza Lazenby, of Victoria. His family consists of two sons and two daughters, living. He is, in every sense, a representative man of Victoria, an energetic enterprizing and highly esteemed citizen, and one of the pioneers of British Columbia.

JOHN LIVINGSTONE, Division Court Clerk, Harriston, Ont., was born in 1829, in Tormore, Newry, County Down, Ireland. His parents, Joseph and Barbara Copeland Livingstone, were very worthy and exemplary people. In 1855, he came to Canada and located in Harriston, his only capital being pluck and industry. He bought land which grew in value, and now owns two hundred and twenty-five acres near the town. He was subsequently appointed bailiff, and in 1890, received his present appointment. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, and in politics, a Reformer. He is also a member of the A. F. & A. M., and I.O.O.F. Mr. Livingstone has been married twice: first, in 1858, to Nancy Harrison, who died in 1860, leaving one son, Jos. Harrison, now of the United States; he was married again, in 1865, to Rebecca F., daughter of the late David and Sarah Dumbrack Scott, of Halifax, N.S., by whom he has ten children. He is a member of the High School Board, and was for years on the Public School Board. Mr. Livingstone is a highly, useful man.

JOHN LIVINGSTONE.

JAS. TIBBITS.

JAS. TIBBITS, Sheriff of Victoria County, N.B., Andover, N.B., was born at that place October 23rd, 1845. He received his education at the Grammar schools of Victoria County, and also in the city of Quebec, while residing with his uncle, Hon. Jos. Tibbits, who was member of the House of Commons for a number of years. Sheriff Tibbits, after completing his education, went on the farm with his father, and also attended to his mercantile business until he was twenty-seven years of age, when he engaged in the lumbering trade, after which he was in the livery business at Grand Falls, for three years. He was appointed Sheriff of Victoria County in 1882. He also does an extensive insurance business, being agent for the London, Liverpool and Globe, of England; the British America, of Toronto, and the Phœnix, of Hartford, Conn. He is also a member of the Masonic Order and the Loyal Orange Lodge. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. He was married, in the year 1872, to Miss Caroline A. Clark, by whom he has a family of three daughters.

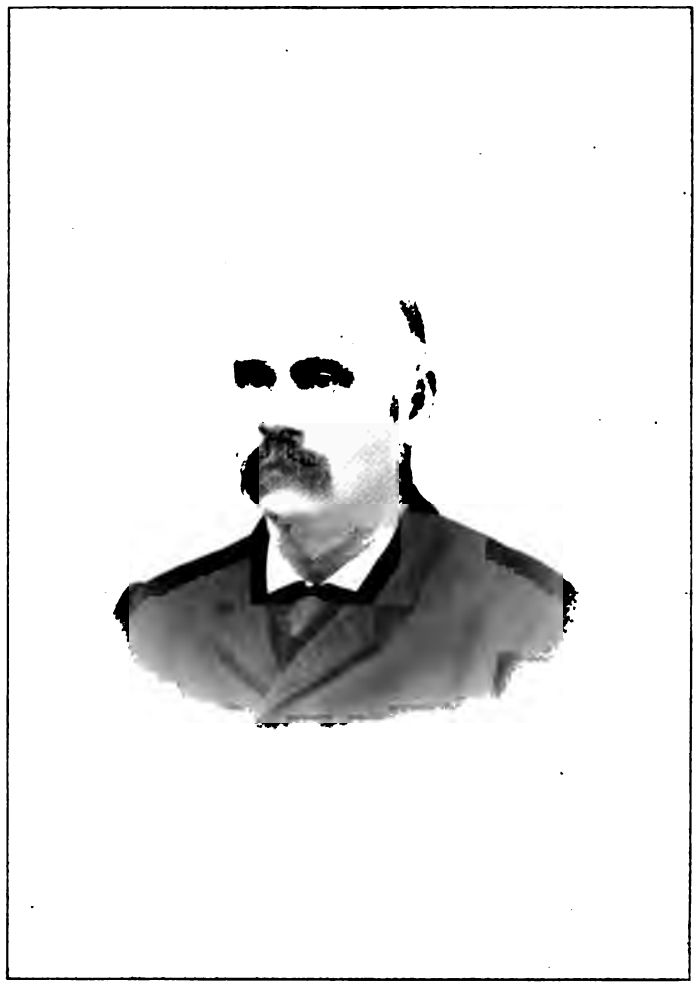
S. W. VOGAN.

S. W. VOGAN, Hardware Merchant, Walkerton, Ont., was born in 1846, in the County of Cavan, Ireland. His parents, Samuel and Jane (White) Vogan, died when he was a child. At the age of twelve, he came to Canada a penniless lad, whose only capital was a stout heart and willing hands. After working for some years in Caledon, he learned the milling business in Milton, and afterwards became the employee and then partner of Isaac Warcup, Esq., Oakville. He operated a large mill in Listowel for one year, and in 1883, removed to Walkerton, where he bought out his present establishment. In religion, Mr. Vogan is a Methodist. He was elected to the Annual Conference and also to the General Conference in London, in 1894. In politics, he is a Reformer. He also belongs to the A.O.U.W., I.O.F., and L.O.L. In 1873, he paid a visit to his native land, Ireland, also spent some weeks in England. In 1874, Mr. Vogan was married to Miss Plewes, daughter of the late Geo. Plewes, Esq. His family consists of six children, two sons and four daughters.

WM. SUMNER SCOTT, M.D., Southampton, Ont., was born in 1825, in Halton County, Ont. His parents were Peter Scott and Anne Sumner. He was educated in New Athens Theological College, Ohio, Toronto University and Queen's College, Kingston, graduating in 1855. He located in Southampton in 1856, where he has practised ever since. He took a very active part in educational matters, and acted for a time as P. S. I. Was Reeve for many years, and president of the North Bruce Conservative Association. He is also a member of the I.O.F. and S.O.S. He was the first surgeon of the Saugeen Rifles, now 32nd Battalion, which was organized in 1861. Was latterly appointed Surgeon-Major, which rank he still retains. For twenty years, he was physician to the Saugeen Indian Reserve. Dr. Scott was married, in 1862, to Catherine Scott, of Montreal. His family consists of three sons and two daughters, two of the former now being physicians. Dr. Scott is exceedingly popular with the medical profession and the public generally.

WM. SUMNER SCOTT, M.D.

REV. CHAS. DEWOLF WHITE, B.A., Rector of Port Greville, Cumberland County, N.S., was born in Shelburne, N.S., July 15th, 1869. He is the son of Nathaniel Whitworth White, Q. V., M. P. for Shelburne, and Fanny Smith DeWolf, daughter of the Rev. Dr. DeWolf, of Sackville, N.B. His paternal grandfather is the oldest rector in the Dominion, and the only one now receiving pay from the British Government, (1894). His great grandfather White, came to Nova Scotia with the U. E. Loyalists, being a Captain in the Duke of Cumberland's Regiment. Mr. White received his early education at the Shelburne Academy, and in 1883, entered the Collegiate Institute, Windsor, matriculated to King's College, Windsor, in 1886, and graduated with first-class honors and the degree of B. A. in 1890. He also spent one year at Trinity College, Toronto. He was ordained deacon at Shelburne, Trinity Sunday, 1892, and at once appointed curate of Parrsborough. He was afterwards ordained priest at St. Paul's, Halifax, and appointed to his present charge. He is a man of fine ability, is devoted to his calling, and is very popular among his parishioners.



JOHN CAMERON McDOUGALL, M.D., Parrsborough, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, was born May 29th, 1850, at Whycocomah, C.B. He is the son of Lauchlin and Jane B. McDougall, natives of Scotland. Dr. McDougall received his education at the public schools, and Baddeck Academy. He commenced the study of medecine with the late Dr. S. Muir, Truro, N.S., subsequently entering the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, graduating in 1869 with the degree of M.D., in his nineteenth year. He began to practise in St. Peters, C. B., remaining there about eight years, when he removed to Oxford, N.S., where he resided twelve years; he then removed to Parrsborough, where he has a large connection. In 1891, he took a post graduate course at New York. He married, in 1872, Jemima, second daughter of Isaac McLeod, Esq., of Strathlorn, C. B. His family consists of two sons and three daughters. The Doctor is a member of the Masonic Order, being past master of Acadia Lodge of Amherst, N.S., also past grand of the I.O.O.F., and the Cumberland and Maritime Province Medical associations. In religion, he is a Presbyterian; in politics, a Conservative.

THE HON. CHARLES N. SKINNER, Probate Judge, St. John, N.B., was born in that city, March 12th, 1837. His parents were Samuel and Phœbe S. (Golding) Skinner. Judge Skinner was educated at the public and Grammar schools of his native city. After leaving school, he prepared for the legal profession. He studied law in the office of the late C. W. Stockton, and was admitted to the Bar, Trinity term, 1860. He commenced to practise his profession in partnership with George G. Gilbert, under the firm name of Gilbert & Skinner. This partnership lasted about four years, when he began practice in his own name, and so continued until January, 1894, when he took his two sons into partnership, Charles S. and Sherwood Skinner, the firm name being C. N. Skinner & Sons. He was appointed Judge of Probate in March, 1868, and held that office with great acceptance until 1885, when he resigned. He was re-appointed to the same position in 1892, and still holds it. Judge Skinner has held many prominent positions, political as well as legal, among which may be mentioned, that he was a member of the New Brunswick Legislature, from 1862 to 1868, when, for the time being, he retired from public life. In 1887, he was elected to the Dominion Parliament to represent the city and county of St. John. He was also re-elected for the same constituency in 1891, but resigned his seat in 1892, to give his whole time to his arduous professional duties. Judge Skinner was married, January 25th, 1865, to Eliza J. McLaughlin, daughter of Daniel J. McLaughlin, of the city of St. John. His family consists of five sons and three daughters, all of whom are living except one daughter. He is an adherent of the Baptist Church. His religious views are broad and philosophical, and his theory of christianity is as simple as that of the New Testament. He is an able lawyer, a safe judge, and is held in universal esteem. He is a member of the Orange Order and of the I.O.O.F.

JULES ALLARD, Advocate, Registrar and Clerk of the Circuit Court for Yamaska County, St. François du Lac, Que., was born January 21st, 1859, in the parish where he now resides. He is a son of Louis Allard, one of the most successful and prominent agriculturist of the county. His mother's maiden name was Mary Anne Chapdelaine. Mr. Allard was educated at Nicolet College, which he entered in 1872, remaining until 1879, completing a full course in classics. He was then admitted to the study of law, in the offices of Messrs. L. A. DeBlois, W. S. Walker, and Lareau & Lebœuf. He was admitted to practice July 12th, 1882, and commenced in Montreal, in partnership with Edmond Lareau, under the firm name of Lareau & Allard. This partnership lasted for one year only, at the end of which time Mr. Allard formed a partnership with P. Leclerc, M.P., and continued in this capacity for two years. He then followed the practice of his profession alone, until he was appointed to the important office of registrar of Yamaska County, which he has since filled with great satisfaction. During the time he practised law in Montreal, he was a resident of Hochelaga Ward, and took an active part in municipal legislation, and also in National politics, in the interest of the Liberal party. He has rendered great services to his party as a speaker, and has also some note as a skillful organizer. He has also always been interested in educational matters, and is president of School Commissioners of St. François du Lac. The honorable position he now occupies, in the County of Yamaska, and his well-known ability as a public man, are the result of his sterling worth, broad information and close attention to all matters affecting the interest of the community. In religion, he belongs to the Roman Catholic Church. Mr. Allard was married, June 3rd, 1885, to Miss Berthe Toupin, daughter of F. A. Toupin, of Montreal, a well-known contractor of that city. His family consists of six children, three sons and three daughters.

EDGAR WETHEY, Montreal, was born August 23rd, 1838, at Exeter, Devon, Eng., and came to Canada in 1842. He is a son of Wm. H. and Elizabeth Wethey. He was educated in Montreal, after which he removed to the United States, where he remained for fifteen years. Here he married Miss Rachael Platt, of Poughkeepsie, N.Y., where he also united with the Methodist Church, in 1859. He returned to Montreal in May, 1860, and connected himself with St. James' Church, to which he has belonged ever since. He has held the position of class leader for eleven years, that of usher for ten years, and is very highly respected. His family consists of two children, one daughter and one son. In politics, he is a Conservative. He also belongs to the Masonic order and the I.O.O.F. as chaplain.

REV. EDWARD DE GRUCHY, Pastor of the First French Methodist Church, Montreal, was born in 1850, on Jersey Island, Eng. Until fourteen, he attended the public schools, at which time he professed conversion, and became a Sunday school teacher. When seventeen years of age, he was a local preacher, and soon after left for America. He then learned the English language, and feeling himself called to missionary work among the French, labored in this capacity for some three years, after which he went to college to complete his education. In 1876, he was ordained to the ministry, and became assistant to Rev. L. N. Beaudry, afterwards had charge for four years, then in Actonvale, for seven years, after which he entered upon his present charge. He was married in 1876, and has a family of three children.

CARLOS EUGENE FROST, Bookkeeper for the Wells & Richardson Company, Montreal, was born February 8th, 1869, at Frost Village, near Waterloo, Que. His parents were Daniel T. Frost and Lepha J. Shepherd, members of the Methodist Church, the former being a class leader in St. James Methodist Church, Montreal, for ten years. Mr. Frost was educated at the Senior School, and McGill Normal School, and holds two diplomas, elementary and model. In religion, he is a Methodist, and a member of the Quarterly Board of Douglas Methodist Church, also of the Epworth League of Christian Endeavor. He also belongs to the Royal Templars of Temperance, and held the office of district secretary of that order for two years. August 19th, 1891, he married Cornelia Smardon, daughter of John Smardon, Esq.

LIEUT. NELSON R. MOFFATT, Farmer, Boscobel, P.Q., was born April 26th, 1863, in Shefford County, Que., and is a son of R. W. Moffatt, of that county. He was educated at the district schools of Shefford and Waterloo Academy. Since leaving school, he has followed agricultural pursuits, and devotes special attention to dairying and has taken many prizes at dairy competitions. He is a farmer of the progressive type, and conducts his business upon scientific principles. In politics, he is a supporter of the Liberal party, and always takes an active part in election contests, doing good and much appreciated work for his party. He also takes a leading part in military matters. Lieut. Moffatt was married, in 1885, to Miss Lucinda Solomon, who died August 31st, 1893. His family consists of two sons.

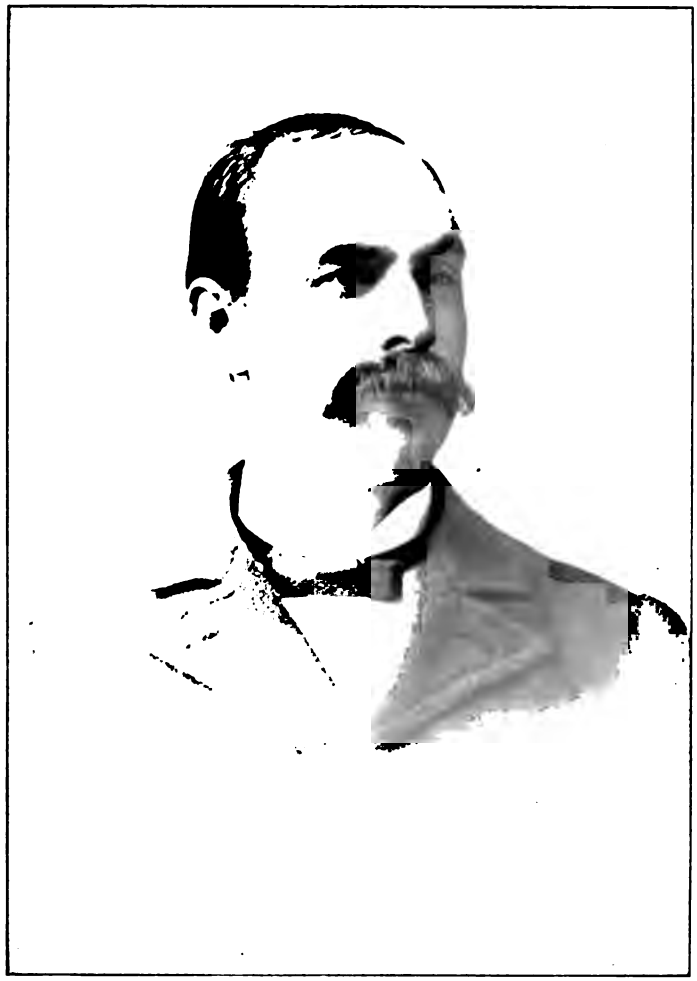
D. F. SMITH, M.D., Ripley, Ont., was born in 1853, in Stratford, Ont. His parents were Jesse and Catharine (Fisher) Smith. Dr. Smith was self-educated, in his preparation for college. He entered McGill University, Montreal, in 1874, graduating in 1878, and located in Ripley. With the exception of three years in Walkerton, he has practised there ever since. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Reformer. He also belongs to the S.O.S., C.O.F., A.O.F., and is physician to each. In 1879, he married Alexandrine Murray, daughter of Rev. A. F. McQueen, of Ripley, Ont., who died in 1887, leaving three children; he was again married, in 1889, to Maria, daughter of Rev. J. Walker, of Lucknow, by whom he has two children. As a medical man, he has a wide and excellent reputation.

REV. FATHER CHAS. OLIVER GINGRAS, of Grand Isle, Aroostook County, Maine, was born at Maskinongé, Que., in 1840. He is the son of Chas. and Angeline Gingras, natives of Quebec. Father Gingras received his early education at the schools of Maskinongé, his commercial, classical, and theological education at Nicolet College, and was ordained October 2nd, 1871. He was then sent to St. Boniface, P.Q., for two years, after which he was appointed Vicar of Stanford, in the Eastern Townships, and subsequently Parish Priest at St. Albert of Warwick. His next charge was the Parish of St. Didau, in Maskinongé County, then the Parish of St. Célestin, Nicolet County. He then went to Maine, and returning took charge of the Parish of Caribou, and in 1893, he removed to his present charge.

JAMES LYONS, Reeve of Lucknow, Ont., was born in 1856, in County Down, Ireland. At the age of sixteen, he came to Canada, and, by industry and integrity, has raised himself to his present position of prominence. He learned the cooper trade, at which he worked ten years, and then became foreman for Mr. R. McArrel, for eight years. Since then, he has been farming and operating a saw mill in Lucknow. In religion, Mr. Lyons is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Reformer. He belongs to the A. F. & A. M., C.O.F., L.O.L., and I.O.F. He has been a member of the Lucknow Council during the past five consecutive years, and in January, 1894, was elected Reeve by the largest majority ever given there. In 1878, Mr. Lyons married Jessie C., daughter of John Cunningham, Esq., of Grey County, Ont.

W. H. SMITH, Merchant, Lucknow, Ont., was born in 1838, in Kent County, Ont. He is of U. E. Loyalist stock, his grandfather being at one time Indian agent at Brantford. He taught for fourteen years, the last six of which he was principal of the Lucknow public schools. In 1878, he began business in Lucknow. Mr. Smith is a member of the L.O.L., I.O.O.F., and A.O.U.W., and has held important positions in each. He was also village clerk for some time, filling the position creditably. In religion, he is a Methodist, superintendent of the Lucknow Methodist Sabbath School for six years, leader of the choir for twenty-six years, and recording steward for ten years. He married, in 1874, Eliza, daughter of John Treleaven, Esq., Lucknow. His family consists of five children.

REV. FATHER FELIX F. W. DUGAL, of St. Leonard's, New Brunswick, was born at Rivière du Loup, Que., November 23rd, 1867. His parents were Charles Dugal and Vénérande D'Amour, highly esteemed residents of the Province of Quebec. Father Dugal received his early education at the schools of Rivière du Loup, and took his classical course at the Seminary of Quebec, remaining there for six years, and graduating with first-class honors in 1888. He also received his theological training at this institution, and was ordained at the Basilica, Quebec, by Bishop Blais, of Rimouski, Que., May 26th, 1892. He also received the degree of B.S. at Laval University. After ordination, he took a vacation for three and one half months, spending it in St. Basil, Madawaska County, and in October of the same year, was appointed Vicar of the Parish of St. Leonard's, and took charge of the same October 11th, 1892, where he has since remained, and has succeeded in building up a large congregation. Father Dugal is a fine scholar as well as an eloquent preacher. The church at this place has been built for some years, and is a very handsome and imposing structure.



DR. LEWIS HALL, Dentist, Victoria, B.C., was born May 11th, 1860, in Staffordshire, England. His parents were Lewis and Elizabeth (Beardmore) Hall. He came to America with his parents in 1862, and began his education at the public school at Gloucester, near Ottawa. In 1876, he went to the Pacific Coast, settling on a farm, worked in the lumber woods four years, taught school one year, was with the *Colonist* eighteen months. He entered the Philadelphia, U.S., Dental College, and in February, 1888, graduated from that institution, and with one other student, out of a class of 100, took 90 % D.D.S. In April of the same year, he began to practise his profession in Victoria, and has worked up a very large dental connection. He is fully qualified by education for his chosen calling, and is destined to make his mark in his profession. He is secretary of the British Columbia Board of Dental Examiners, also a member of the I.O.O.F., I.O.F., and I.O.G.T. In religion, he is a Methodist, and is a member of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, Victoria. Dr. Hall was married, on the 21st of August, 1889, to Miss Sophy M. Cummings, of Victoria, British Columbia.

ARTHUR A. BRUNEAU, M.P., Attorney-at-Law, Sorel, Que., was born March 4th, 1864, at St. Athanase, now the town of Iberville, Que. He is a son of the late J. J. Bruneau, and Marie Louise Bruneau, the former being a prominent manufacturer, and one of the most influential citizens of the county. Mr. Bruneau was educated at the College of the Sacred Heart, Sorel, and at the Jesuits' College, Montreal, where he completed a thorough course in arts. He then entered the law department of Laval University, following at the same time the study of law in the office of Hon. R. Laflamme.

In January, 1887, he was admitted to the Bar, and at once established himself in Sorel, where he soon gained a wide reputation for integrity, and unusual professional talent, and where he has built up a large and rapidly increasing legal connection. During his university career, and at the time when his duties were similarly arduous, he contributed a number of articles to various journals, on historical, philosophical, political and other questions, many of which have been recognized, by the greatest critics of the country, as being of genuine literary merit. At the By-Election of 1892, he was chosen as the Liberal (Independent) candidate for Sorel for the House of Commons, polling the largest number of votes ever given to a candidate in Sorel. During his first session in the House, his abilities as a debater were strongly set forth, and in 1893 came his masterly speech on the Budget, and which attracted great attention. In 1894, he delivered one of the most famous speeches of the Opposition on the Reform of the Tariff, a speech which was widely reproduced and eulogized by the Liberal press. His fearlessness in denouncing what he considers to be wrong, has made him famous throughout his constituency, and has added new laurels to his political achievements. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. Mr. Bruneau was married, in October, 1887, to Miss Arzélie Cloutier, daughter of Prof. J. B. Cloutier, of Laval University. His family consists of two children.

JOSEPH NOLIN, L.D.S., Sorel, Que., was born March 23rd, 1863, at St. John's. He is the son of Charles Nolin, who was sheriff of Iberville District for about twenty-five years. His mother was Clorinde Duquet, sister of Joseph Duquet, one of the noted leaders of the Rebellion of 1837, who was executed in 1838. Mr. Nolin received his early education at the Christian Brothers' Academy, St. John's, Que. He afterwards entered the University of Ottawa, where he completed a thorough course in classics, graduating in 1882. He then commenced the study of dentistry in the office of D. Trudeau, St. John's. In due course, Mr. Nolin entered Laval University, Montreal, to pursue his dental studies, at the same time giving careful attention to his practical education in the office of Dr. Bazin, of Montreal, one of the most skillful dentists of that city. In 1880, he completed his course of lectures, passed successfully his examinations, obtaining the degree of L.D.S. for the Province of Quebec. He then attended the Philadelphia Dental College for one year, during all of which time he attended lectures and pursued a course of clinical instruction under the supervision of the noted professors of the school. He then went to Toronto, Ont., where he was successful in passing his examination, both theoretical and practical, in the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Ontario, and there obtained the degree of L.D.S., winning the distinction of being the first French Canadian to pass such an examination in Ontario. He then practised his profession in Ottawa for one year, when he located in Sorel, where he has built up a large and lucrative connection. After locating in Sorel, our subject devoted some attention to journalism, but finding his business increasing, he was forced to give his full time to his dental practice. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He is also a member of the C.M.B.A., and I.O.F. Dr. Nolin was married, in 1893, to Lucine Boucher, daughter of Captain Boucher, of the city of Sorel.

REV. D. SHARP.

REV. D. SHARP, Methodist Minister, Allenford, Ont., was born in 1852, in London Township, Middlesex County, Ont. His parents, Allan and Rachael (Shanklin) Sharp, of Irish birth, were pioneers in Middlesex County. He was educated at the public schools of his native township, and at the London Grammar School. He was converted at nineteen, and decided at once to enter the ministry. He was received on probation, spent one year as missionary in Muskoka, one year at Saltfleet, one year in Dunnville, and was ordained in 1877, since which time he has served the Church at Morpeth, Courtland, Hartford, Lynden, St. Mary's, Sebringville, Embro, Kemble and Allenford. Mr. Sharp is a student by nature, is genial, sociable, strong with young people, and a great Sunday School worker. He is one of the best known, most successful and highly esteemed ministers in the conference to which he belongs. In 1877, he married Julia, daughter of Andrew Birdsall, Esq., of Canboro, Ont. His family consists of three children, one son and two daughters.

GEORGE REMANUS HANNAH, Hardware Merchant, Shelburne, Ont., was born in 1846, in Kitly Township, Leeds County, Ont. His father, John Hannah, was a prominent official in the Methodist Church. His mother was Agnes Maxwell. Mr. Hannah was educated in the public schools of Leeds County, and in the Orangeville High School. He served three years as wood worker at Smith's Falls. In 1874, he entered mercantile life, as a hardware merchant, in Shelburne, where he has been very successful. He has one of the finest and most complete stocks of hardware, between Toronto and Owen Sound, and his business is still on the increase. He owns much town and farm property, besides the magnificent three-story brick block, which he occupies on Main Street. In religion, Mr. Hannah is a Methodist, and in politics, a Conservative. He has been a member of the Municipal Council for seven years, and also belongs to the A.O.U.W., and Select Knights. Mr. Hannah was married, in 1877, to Miss Louisa Knight, of Orangeville. His family consists of four children.

GEORGE REMANUS HANNAH.

J. P. NEWMAN, of Seaman & Newman, Lumber Dealers and Manufacturers, Wiarton, Ont., was born in 1842, in Middleton, Norfolk, England. His parents, Wm. and B. (Parkinson) Newman, came to Canada, when he was ten years old, and from that age, he had to look out for himself. He learned the shoemaking trade, and at twenty-one, had a business of his own in Glenwilliams, Halton County. In 1866, he removed to Listowel, where, for years, he conducted a successful boot and shoe business. In 1886, he sold out and accepted the position of travelling general agent for the North American Life Insurance Company, Toronto. In 1889, he entered the above named firm, the annual output of which now reaches several million feet. He belongs to the A.O.U.W. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, a Liberal. He was a member of the Listowel School Board for ten years, five of which he was chairman; has been for some time a member of the Wiarton Council. In 1867, he married Miss Sophia Chapman, daughter of Matthew Chapman, of Listowel.

J. P. NEWMAN.

ALLAN GRANT SEAMAN.

ALLAN GRANT SEAMAN, of the firm of Seaman and Newman, Wholesale Lumber Dealers and Manufacturers, Wiarton, Ont., was born in 1857, in Woodford, Grey County, Ont. His father, the late Theodore Seaman, of Woodford, was a man universally respected. His mother, Elizabeth Neelands, a lady of estimable character, is still living. Mr. Seaman was educated in the public schools. He entered upon the saw milling business at the age of fifteen, and by pluck and energy, in spite of severe losses and reverses, has built up a large trade and an excellent connection. His firm now does a business of about six million feet annually. Messrs. Seaman & Newman have, by integrity and honorable dealing, made for themselves a name of which any firm might be proud. In religion, Mr. Seaman is a Methodist, and in politics, a Conservative. A public-spirited citizen, and greatly interested in the welfare of the community. In 1887, he married Miss S. J. McClure, daughter of R. McClure, Esq., of Port Elgin, by whom he has two sons.

FIBBERT BINNEY SMITH, M. A., Baptist Minister, Springhill, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, was born at Brookfield, Queens County, N.S., September 5th, 1858. His parents were Stephen Smith and Abigail Parks, both natives of Nova Scotia. He received his early education at the public schools of Brookfield, and then taught school for five years in Queens County, and in 1882, was licensed to preach, and the same year, he entered Acadia College, Wolfville, from which institution he graduated with first-class honors. He then attended the Theological Seminary, at Newton Centre, Mass., and was ordained in 1887, his first charge being the pastorate of the First Baptist Church, at Canso, Guysboro County, N.S., where he remained for three years. In 1890, he accepted a call to his present charge, where he is doing a good work. Mr. Smith is an able preacher of the Gospel, and stands high in the estimation of his congregation. He was married, in 1889, to Sarah Alberta, daughter of John B. Brown, Esq., of Torbrook, Annapolis County, N.S. His family consists of one daughter. He is a member of the I.O.O.F., Orange Order, K. of P., S. of T. In politics, he is a Liberal.

LIEUT.-COL. CHARLES EDWIN KAULBACH, M.P., of Lunenburg, N.S., was born in Lunenburg. His father was the late High Sheriff John Henry Kaulbach, who died in 1879, while his mother was Sophia Frederika Newman. He is also a brother of Senator Kaulbach and Venerable Archdeacon J. A. Kaulbach, of Nova Scotia. He received his education at the Grammar School, Lunenburg, and also took a classical course. He is at present a ship and real estate owner, and is well known in his community. He was a Captain and Adjutant in the active militia, and for a number of years in command of the Volunteer Rifle Company in Lunenburg. He is now in command of 75th Battalion Volunteer Militia, and performed the duties of High Sheriff of the county for some years. He is vice-president of the N. S. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and director of Lunenburg Marine Insurance Company, etc., etc. He was first returned to Parliament at the General Election of 1878, re-elected in 1882, and 1883, was unsuccessful in 1887, but re-elected in 1891. In politics, he is an active Conservative, and in religion, an Episcopalian. Unmarried.

HENRY D. LEITCH, M.D., Victoria, B.C., was born at Milton, Ont., March 16th, 1859. He is the son of Thos. Leitch, now residing in Flesherton, Grey County, Ont. Dr. Leitch received his primary education at the common schools of Burlington, but his parents removing to Grey County, he was qualified in Owen Sound for a teacher, and taught for two years in Grey and Hastings counties. In 1881, he entered Trinity Medical School, graduating with honors in 1885, and obtaining the fellowship degree and M.C.P.S.O. license the same year. After practising a short time in Hastings County, Dr. Leitch settled in Durham County, where he remained until the Fall of 1890, when, having spent the Winter in New York, attending the Post Graduate and Women's hospitals, located in Victoria, where he has succeeded in building up a large practice. In religion, Dr. Leitch is a Methodist. He is also a member of the Loyal Orange Association and the I.O. O.F. He was married, January 6th, 1886, to Janie, second daughter of Rev. D. C. McDowell, Methodist Minister.

HENRY D. LEITCH.

JAMES BRYAN.

JAMES BRYAN, ex-Warden of Bruce County, Editor of the *Sentinel*, Lucknow, Ont., was born in 1854, in London, Ont. He learned the printing business in the office of the *London Advertiser*, and worked on that paper in various capacities for nine years, when he took charge of the *Sentinel*, Lucknow, which he now edits and owns. He is a man of energy and progress. He served in the Lucknow Municipal Council ten years, the last five of which he was elected Reeve by acclamation. In 1893, he was elected Warden of Bruce County; the youngest warden the county ever had. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., I.O.O.F., and A.O.U.W. He was chiefly instrumental in securing, for Lucknow, its water works, electric light and park. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, a Reformer. He has held the office of trustee, member of Official Board and delegate to Conference. His parents were John and Jane (Jennings) Bryan, of Irish birth, pioneers of London, Ont. In 1879, Mr. Bryan married Miss Lizzie Seli, only daughter of John Seli, Brussels, Ont.

WILLIAM GRIFFIN.

WILLIAM GRIFFIN, Superintendent of the Wellington County House of Industry, Fergus, Ont., was born in Halton County, Ontario, in 1843. His parents were Michael and Sophia (Jackson) Griffin, the former being of U. E. Loyalist stock. Mr. Griffin was educated in the public schools of Halton County, after which he farmed for himself, for some years, in Norfolk County. He then carried on business for a time in Arthur, Ont., and in 1883, received his present appointment. Mr. Griffin, as superintendent of the Wellington County House of Industry, on account of his remarkable adaptation, gives universal satisfaction. His good judgment and executive ability are well recognized, while his kindness is proverbial. In politics, he is a Liberal-Conservative, but takes no active part in political affairs. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. He is also a member of the Masonic fraternity and the A.O.U.W. In 1861, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of the late Alexander Doak, Esq., of Bayfield, Ont. His family consists of three children.

JOHN McCRIMMON, M.D., C.M., (McGill), L.R.C.P. and L.R.C.S., (Edinburgh), Kincardine, Ont., was born in 1855, in Mariposa, Victoria County, Ont. His parents were Roderick and Sarah McCrimmon, who came from Scotland about the year 1830, and settled in Mariposa. Here, Mr. McCrimmon became a prosperous and very highly respected man. He died in 1880. Dr. McCrimmon was educated at Whitby High School, Upper Canada College, Toronto, McGill University, Montreal, and in Edinburgh, Scotland, where, in 1879, he took the "double qualification" as above indicated. Soon afterwards, he located in Kincardine, where he enjoys a large and growing practice, and the esteem of all who know him. In religion, Dr. McCrimmon is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Reformer. He also belongs to the A. F. & A. M., and is a member of and medical examiner to the C.O.F., S.O.S., and I.O.F. He is also a member of the Kincardine Board of Education. In 1888, Dr. McCrimmon was married to Isabella, daughter of the late Donald Mackenzie, of Kincardine, Ont.

JOHN McCRIMMON.

LOUIS ROBITAILLE, Chemist and Druggist, Joliette, Que., was born at St. Hilaire de Rouville, June 21st, 1850. His father's name was Narcisse Robitaille, a prominent and respected notary of that place. His mother's maiden name is Catherine Johnson, a descendant of Sir Wm. Johnson. Mr. Robitaille, at the age of ten years, entered St. Hyacinthe College, where he remained eight years, completing a full course, and passing an examination admitting him to the study of law. He then entered Laval University, with the intention of taking the course to prepare himself for the profession of advocate, at the same time having entered the office of Mr. Fournier, now Hon. Judge Fournier, of the Supreme Court, to properly fit himself for his profession. Owing to ill health, however, at the end of one year, he was forced, much against his inclination, to abandon the study of law. He then entered upon a course of study of pharmacy, and in 1872, commenced business in Joliette, where he has since resided, and has, to-day, a large and lucrative trade, and as finely modelled and carefully conducted a drug business as is to be found in many of the large cities of Canada. His adaptability to his chosen profession is evidenced by the fact that he is the proprietor of many medical preparations, which are favorably known throughout the Dominion. He is in every sense of the word a business man, as well as a thoroughly qualified dispensing chemist. His superior knowledge of the highly important avocation which he follows, enables him to successfully cater to the requirements of his large trade. In religion, Mr. Robitaille is a Roman Catholic, a member of the C.M.B.A., and had the honor of occupying, for some time, the position of chancellor in this society, also of representing the same as a delegate to the Grand Convention held by the Order, at Montreal, in 1891. In 1879, Mr. Robitaille was married to Miss Marie Louise Brault, of Joliette, who died in 1892. His family consists of three sons and two daughters.

MALCOLM BEATON FERGUSON, M.D., Winnipeg, Man., was born December 5th, 1856, in the Township of Brock, Victoria County, Ont. His parents were Alexander and Annie Ferguson, the former being a farmer, and a native of Scotland. Dr. Ferguson was educated at the public schools of Ontario, Pickering College, Ont., and Manitoba College, Winnipeg. He commenced the study of his profession with his brother, Dr. A. H. Ferguson, in Winnipeg, and then attended Michigan University, continued his studies at the Medical College, Winnipeg, then at the Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, where he graduated in 1887, standing first in his class. He then spent over three years in Europe, at Glasgow, Edinburgh, London, Dublin, Paris, Vienna, Berlin and Brussels hospitals. He graduated at the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, London, Eng., in 1893. Prior to his visit to Europe, he practised his profession at Kansas City, and also at Winnipeg, and after his return, he permanently located at Winnipeg. He has succeeded to his brother's practice in that city, where he is looked upon as a skillful practitioner. He has travelled nearly all over the world, and has been a keen observer of men and events. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F., and the A.O.F. He is examining physician for the New York Life Assurance Company. Being on the threshold of his prime, and having had the benefit of a very liberal medical education, extensive travel and considerable practical experience, he is surely destined to have a highly eminent career. As success in any profession or calling is now to be found mainly in the region lying between ordinary equipment and advanced scientific effort, and fullest knowledge, Dr. Ferguson may reasonably be expected to distinguish himself, having largely acquired the indispensable requisites. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. He is also surgeon to the St. Boniface Hospital and the Electric Railway Company of Winnipeg.

DONALD McKAY, Walkerton, Ont., was born in 1835, in Campbelltown, Argyleshire, Scotland. His parents were Duncan McKay and Barbara Fleming. He came to Canada in 1845, with his widowed mother, and settled in Vaughan Township. When seventeen years of age, he took a County Board certificate, and taught school for one year, afterwards taking second and first-class certificates, before he was twenty years of age. He has taught forty years, (1894), chiefly in York County, but seventeen years in the High schools of Brampton and Walkerton. He is a member of the S.O.S., I.O.O.F., and of the Walkerton Municipal Council for five years. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Reformer. In 1857, he married Eliza Watson, of Vaughan. His family consists of nine children.

W. R. THOMPSON, Manufacturer and Reeve, Teeswater, Ont., was born in 1847, in Port Hope. His parents were William and Jane (Marshall) Thompson. He learned the trade of cooper, and in 1874, removed to Teeswater, where he commenced business on a small scale, until he now employs forty men, and does an annual business of $80,000. He is also a wholesale lumber dealer and manufacturer. During the years 1884 and 1885, he was a member of the Council; in 1886, he was elected Reeve, also in 1887, when he retired, but in 1894, was again elected Reeve by acclamation. In religion, he is a Methodist, holding the offices of trustee and steward, and in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Thompson was married, in 1878, to Eliza Jane, daughter of J. Bell, Esq., Culross. His family consists of six children.

DAVID PORTER, Contractor, Wiarton, Ont., was born in 1844, in Manvers Township, Durham County, Ont. In early life, he had few advantages, but by industry, straightforward dealing, and good judgment, he has risen to be one of the leading men of his county. His first contract was Dennie's Dam, Saugeen, and in 1882, he received the contract of the Government and Railway Dock, at Wiarton. This occupied part of two years, and was executed in a prompt and very creditable manner. Since then he has had other large contracts in Grey, Simcoe and Bruce counties. In religion, he is an adherent of the Presbyterian Church, and in politics, a Conservative. He is also a member of the A. F. & A. M. He was married, in 1875, to Emily Thompson, daughter of Wm. Thompson, Esq., Southampton, Ont.

JAMES MUIR, Port Elgin, Ont., was born in 1826, in West Calder, Edinburghshire, Scotland. His parents were James Muir and Agnes Stewart. He came to Canada in 1856, settling in Port Elgin. In 1870, he erected a planing mill, and sash and door factory; in 1880, added the manufacture of furniture, and has been the sole undertaker of Port Elgin for over a quarter of a century, and is now president of Undertakers' Association of Ontario. He has been a J. P. since 1861, and a Presbyterian elder since 1857. He has been a member of the School Board, the Municipal Council, License Inspector, etc., etc. In politics, a Reformer. He has been married twice: first, in 1855, to Jane, daughter of John Fleming, of Roxboroshire, Scotland, and second, in 1875, to Jessie, daughter of John Robertson, of Kincardine, Bruce County.

REV. PATRICK QUINN, Parish Priest, Richmond, Que., was born in the County of Roscommon, Ireland, in 1836. He came to Canada, with his parents, at an early age, but his parents dying immediately upon landing, he was left to his own resources. He was adopted by a family, and educated for the priesthood at Nicolet College, in arts and theology. He was ordained in 1862, and appointed curate at Actonvale, Que., where he remained two years, when he was appointed to Richmond, where he has since remained, and done successful work for the cause of Christ. In 1880, he began the task of building a church, which has since been completed. He is also the founder of the Richmond Convent, and the Academy for the education of boys, conducted by the Brothers of the Sacred Heart.

ALFRED DESILETS, Prothonotary, Three Rivers, Que., was born February 11th, 1841, at St. Gregoire, Que. His parents were François and Margaret (Hébert) Desilets. He was educated at Nicolet College, began the study of law in 1860, and was admitted to the Bar, December 4th, 1864, when he at once began to practise in Three Rivers. In 1872, he became editor of *Le Journal de Trois-Rivières*, and so continued until 1880, when he was appointed Prothonotary, Clerk of the Crown, and Clerk of the Circuit Court, but was removed from complete charge in 1887, by the Mercier Government; the office of prothonotary, however, was restored in 1894. In politics, he is an active Conservative. Mr. Desilets was married, October 24th, 1865, to Miss Georgina DeCoteau. His family consists of six children.

MGR. ELPHÈGE GRAVEL, Bishop of Nicolet, was born October 12th, 1838, at St. Antoine, River Chambly. His parents were Nicolas Gravel and Julie Boiteau. He was educated at the colleges of St. Hyacinthe, and Worcester, Mass., studied civil law at Laval University, received his theological training at the Grand Seminary, Montreal, and afterwards became professor of rhetoric and philosophy at the College of Ste. Marie de Monnoir. He was ordained at Marieville, September 11th, 1870. Was appointed Vicar at Sorel, 1871, and at St. Hyacinthe, 1873; Parish Priest at Bedford, 1874, and at St. Hyacinthe, 1880, also Canon of the cathedral. Was consecrated Bishop of Nicolet, at Rome, by Cardinal Moran, August 2nd, 1885, and installed August 25th, 1885. He is an eloquent preacher.

LOUIS RAYMOND GINGRAS, General Merchant, Eastman, Que., was born August 31st, 1870, at St. Pie, P.Q. He was educated at St. Césaire College, and in 1887, entered the employ of A. F. Savaria, Waterloo, as clerk, and by careful industry soon accumulated sufficient capital to start business on his own account. In 1892, he established his present business in Eastman, and is now one of the leading and most influential business men of that place, with a trade that is rapidly increasing. Although still a young man, he possesses keen energy and remarkable foresight, in managing the affairs connected with his business. In religion, Mr. Gingras is a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and in politics, an Independent. He was married, May 10th, 1894, to Miss Mary J. Lavigne, of Eastman, Que.

HERMANN H. WOLFF, Wholesale Importer of Dry and Fancy Goods, Montreal, was born September 15th, 1860, at Osnabruck, Germany. His father was Benjamin Wolff, principal of an educational institute in Osnabruck, Germany, and an eminent educationist, while his mother's maiden name was Bertha Wetzlar. Mr. Wolff received his education in Germany. When seventeen years of age, he entered the firm of R. D. Warburg, at Hamburg, as junior clerk. In 1884, he came to New York, in connection with their business. In 1887, he became manager of their branch business at Zurich, Switzerland, and in February, 1889, located in Montreal, in their interest, in partnership with Mr. Feodor Boas, at that time their agent at Montreal. In January, 1891, Mr. Boas retired, and the firm was then changed to its present style. The business of this firm extends throughout the Dominion of Canada and Newfoundland, and is one of the most widely known in Montreal. Their representatives now cover the Dominion of Canada. In January, 1893, Mr. Wolff was appointed Consul for Denmark, at Montreal, for the Dominion of Canada. He is also a member of the Montreal Board of Trade.

CHARLES HOWARD MILLAR, Registrar of Drummond County, Que., was born March 25th, 1856. His father was the late Robert Millar, Deputy Registrar for over thirty years, of Scotch descent. His grandfather, James Millar, came to Canada, from Scotland, in the early part of the present century, located in Drummond County, and was the first postmaster of Drummondville. His mother's maiden name was Eliza Robins, daughter of the late Lieut. Wm. Robins, the first registrar of Drummond County. Mr. Millar was educated at the public schools and private tuition. He then entered the Registry Office at Drummondville, under his father, as clerk. He was appointed Deputy Registrar in 1877, under the late Sir Edmund Cox, and remained in such capacity until 1889, when he became Registrar. He was a member of the Municipal Council for three years, and has been secretary of the School Board and school trustee. In religion, he belongs to the Church of England. He has always been prominently connected with church affairs, and is at present warden in St. George's Church, Drummondville. Mr. Millar was married, in 1886, to Ida S., daughter of the late Robert McDougall, of Three Rivers.

CHAS. GARVIN, ex-Warden of Huron County, Ont., and president of the West Wawanoah Mutual Fire Insurance Company, Nile, Ont., was born in 1819, in the County of Down, Ireland. His parents Charles and Rachael Carleton Girvin, came to Canada in 1832, and settled on Amherst Island, Ont. He had few educational advantages, but by reading and observation became a well-informed man. He located in Huron County in 1841, settling on the homestead he now occupies. For fifty-three years, Mr. Girvin was Reeve of his township, thirty years of which were consecutive, and seventeen times elected by acclamation, which speaks volumes for his sterling worth and integrity. In 1878, he was warden. In early life, he was intimate with the late Sir John A. Macdonald, and Sir Oliver Mowat. He is one of the veterans of the Rebellion of 1837-38, was a sergeant at that time, and holds a captain's commission. He has been a Justice of the Peace since the year 1849. In religion, Mr. Girvin is a Presbyterian, and in politics an active member of the Reform party.

CHARLES GIRVIN.

REV. EDWIN A. HALL.

REV. EDWIN ALBERT HALL, Episcopalian Clergyman, Ripley, Ont., was born in 1866, in West Nissouri, Middlesex County, Ont. His father was Joseph Hall and his mother Jane Godwin, whose father was a cavalry officer in the British army at Waterloo. He was educated in the London and St. Mary's schools, and at Huron College. He received his Deacon's orders in 1890, his Priest's orders in 1891, and was soon afterwards appointed to his present incumbency. Mr. Hall is a popular and public-spirited member of society, and leaves an impress for good upon all he comes in contact with. He is president of the Ripley Mechanic's Institute, a prominent official in the I. O. O. F., the L. O. L., the R. B. P. and the Bible Society. He is an earnest and successful minister. Through his efforts, seven young men have already entered college to prepare for the ministry. In 1890, Mr. Hall was married to Mary Mathilda Blacker, daughter of W. L. B. Hamlin. His family consists of two children, Henry Hamlin and Mary Godwin.

REV. HUGH CRAIG.

REV. HUGH CRAIG, B.A., Pastor St. Andrew's Church, Windsor Mills, Que., was born November 24th, 1861, in Beauce County, Que. His parents were William and Eliza (McElwain) Craig, well known in that county. Mr. Craig prosecuted his studies privately, under a tutor, as there was no school within nine miles of his father's farm. At the age of twenty-five, he entered Morrin College, Quebec, and pursued an arts course, afterwards taking up theology in the same institution. He graduated B.A. from McGill University in 1890, and was received into the ministry in the Spring of 1891. He was then stationed at Sawyerville as ordained missionary, that circuit including also Massawippi and Richby, where he had previously been as student missionary, and where he remained one year after ordination. He then received a call to Windsor Mills, which he accepted, and which pastorate he has since held. In addition to his pastoral duties, he is professor of Hebrew in St. Francis College, Richmond, Que. In politics, he is a believer in Liberal principles.

HARTLEY S. JACQUES, M.D., Halifax, N.S., was born July 5th, 1858, in Annapolis County. His parents are Major Charles Jacques and Amanda Spinney. He was educated at Dalhousie University, Halifax, McGill University, Montreal, and graduated in 1887 at the University of the City of New York. He was then appointed House Surgeon of the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax. In 1888, he was appointed Senior House Surgeon, which office he held for two years. In 1890, he was appointed Medical Superintendent, which position he occupied until 1892. He then took a post graduate course at John Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md. In October, 1893, he began private practice in Halifax. Dr. Jacques belongs to St. George's Benefit Society, St. Mark's Benefit Society, Canadian Order of Foresters, Free Masons, Nova Scotia Medical Society, British Medical Society, and Maritime Medical Society. He has also been a member of the Canadian Militia for twenty years, and is Lieutenant of the 63rd Rifles. In religion, Dr. Hartley S. Jacques is a Presbyterian.

HARTLEY S. JACQUES.

WILLIAM DENNIS, Journalist, Halifax, N.S., was born in England, in 1856. He is the son of John and Mary (Parnall) Dennis. Mr. Dennis came to this country in 1873, his parents following a year later, and settling at Stewiacke. In 1875, the *Halifax Herald* was established, and Mr. Dennis became attached to its staff, and has been connected with it from its first issue, with the exception of one year, 1882-83, which he spent on the Winnipeg *Sun*. Upon leaving Winnipeg, he was presented with an address, bearing the signature of all its prominent citizens, accompanied by a magnificent gold watch and tea service. For fifteen years, he has been news editor of the *Halifax Herald*, and is also correspondent of several leading English and American papers. He has been a member of the Halifax City Council for seven years, and served as chairman of the most important civic committees. In religion, he is a Presbyterian; in politics, an active Conservative, and has done much to make the resources of Nova Scotia better known. He was married to Agnes, only daughter of Alexander Miller, Truro, N.S. His family consists of five children.

OVIDE ROBILLARD, B.C.L., Graduate of McGill College, Advocate, Montreal, Que., was born September 7th, 1863, in the city of Montreal. His parents were J. C. and Marguerite (Defaux) Robillard. His father was widely known in political and judicial matters, as also in newspaper circles. Some years ago, he pleaded his own case in appeal, and defeated the actual Chief Justice of the Province of Quebec. He always refused to be admitted to the Bar, although he has been offered that position. Our subject was educated at St. Mary's Jesuit College. He began the study of law with the late Hon. R. Laflamme, in January, 1884, and was admitted to the Bar, July, 1887, since which time he has practised his profession on his own account, and has been eminently successful. He is the legal adviser to several important successories, and has thus been connected with some very important cases. Mr. Robillard was married, October 15th, 1889, to Miss Irène Turgeon, niece of the Hon. Mr. Marchand, leader of the Opposition Government of the Province of Quebec. He has never taken an active part in politics, preferring to devote his time to his profession.

D. C. TAYLOR, Hardware Merchant, Lucknow, Ont., was born in 1862, in Kinloss, Bruce County, Ont. He is the son of Thomas and Mary Jane (Clendenning) Taylor. He learned the trade of tinsmith, and in 1885, bought out his employer in Lucknow, where he continues in the same stand to do a business of over twelve thousand dollars a year. Mr. Taylor is a popular citizen, and an excellent business man, respected and esteemed by all classes and creeds. In religion, he is a member of the Methodist Church, a steward in his church, president of the Epworth League, and a class leader; has been delegate to conference, etc. In politics, he is a Conservative, but has always refused municipal honors. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F. and L.O.L. In 1892, he married Minnie Murdoch, of Lucknow.

MICHAEL McNAMARA, J.P., Collector of Customs, Walkerton, Ont., was born in Limerick, Ireland, in 1841. His parents were John and Ann McNamara, descendants of ancient Irish families. Mr. John McNamara was Inspector of Public Works in Ireland, and died in 1848, from injuries inflicted by the "Whiteboys." Mr. M. McNamara was educated at the National schools, Limerick, at Belleville, Ont., and Montreal, Que. He is a well-known contributor to the press, takes great interest in educational matters, and is chairman of the High School Board. He is also secretary of the Board of Trade, director of the Mechanics' Institute, etc., and has been chairman of the Board of Health. He married, in 1862, Gertrude Murphy. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative.

SAMUEL LYSTER WALLIS HARTON, Methodist Student on East Harrington Circuit, Montreal Conference, was born May 9th, 1874, in Yorkville, York County, Ont. His parents were Andrew and Sarah Elizabeth (Wallis) Harton. Mr. Harton was educated at the public schools of Toronto, after which he removed to Montreal, and in both of these cities he held positions as accountant. In February, 1894, he entered the Methodist Ministry. He has been a member of the Y.M.C.A. of Montreal, is an earnest Christian and a faithful worker. Before entering the ministry, he held prominent positions in the Parkdale Methodist Church, Toronto, under the Rev. Dr. German, and in St. James Methodist Church, Montreal, under the Rev. Dr. Hunter. His friends expect him to make a successful preacher.

WILLIAM McMILLAN, General Grocer and Commission Merchant, Lockeport, N.S., was born December 2nd, 1858, at Louis Head, near Lockeport, N.S. His parents were Captain W. A. and Elizabeth (Pride) McMillan. Mr. McMillan received his education at Shelburne Academy. For about six years, he was a partner of A. W. Hendry, Liverpool, N.S., but in 1890, the partnership was dissolved and he went to Anticosti, where he was the first to start the lobster business. After two years, he returned to Lockeport, and went into business by himself, in which he still continues, and is very successful. He also does an important trade with the West Indies, and is a fish exporter and ship owner. In religion, he is a Baptist; in politics, a Conservative, and enjoys the confidence of all who know him.

ELLIS DICKSON, Clerk, Superintendent's Office, G. T. R., Montreal, Que., was born October 29th, 1836, in Edinburgh, Scotland. He received his education at the schools of Edinburgh, and then commenced to learn brass finishing, but through defective eye sight, had to give it up, and at the age of seventeen enlisted in H. M. S. 91st Highlanders. He was with the regiment in England, Ireland, Ionian Islands, and India, where he held every rank from corporal to sergeant major, and returning to England was discharged with high recommendations in 1865. In religion, Mr. Dickson is a Methodist, has been local preacher, and held other important offices, such as class leader, trustee and recording secretary, all of which he filled satisfactorily. He has been married twice, and has a family of four children.

WILLIAM JOSEPH PENDRAY, Proprietor of the British Columbia Soap Works, Victoria, B.C., was born August 15th, 1847, at Camborne, Cornwall, Eng. His parents were Thomas and Catherine Pendray. From 1867, Mr. Pendray spent ten years in California, after which he became successfully interested in the Cariboo Gold Mines, B.C. Remaining there between four and five years, he spent about three years in England, after which he returned to America, settling at Victoria, B.C., where he started his soap factory, which has since assumed large proportions. "Pendray's Soap" is now a household word on the Pacific Coast. In religion, he is a Methodist. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F., and A. F. & A. M. He was married, in 1877, to Amelia, daughter of the late Captain John Carthew.

WILLIAM KAY, Light House Keeper, Kincardine, Ont., was born in 1824, at Pollock-Shaws, Renfrewshire, Scotland. His parents were John and Jessie (Murdoch) Kay. Mr. Kay was educated in Glasgow. He came to Canada in 1840, and located near Galt. He learned the carpenter and cooper trades, at which he worked for some time, chiefly in Ayr and Kincardine. In 1881, he received his present appointment. In religion, Mr. Kay is a Presbyterian, has been an elder thirty-seven years, Sunday School superintendent twenty-five years, and precentor eighteen years. In 1843, he was married to Margaret Kay, of Dumfries, Ont., formerly of Ayrshire, Scotland. He has had a family of fifteen children, nine of whom are now living, viz. John, Geo., Wm., Alex., Robt., Neil, Jas., Mary and Jessie. He is a Reformer.

REV. C. W. FINCH, B.A., B.D., Methodist Minister, Windsor Mills, Que., was born July 5th, 1862, at Glanford, Ont. He was educated at the Caledonia High School, and afterwards taught for a number of years. In the college year 1886-1887, he entered McGill University, Montreal, graduating B.A. in 1890. While pursuing his arts course, he studied theology at the Wesleyan Theological College, and graduated B.D. in 1892, having accomplished his arts, theological and probationer's courses in the short term of six years. He was appointed to his present charge in June, 1893. He is an active temperance worker, and his association with the press at Richmond, gives him ample opportunity of expressing his views. Mr. Finch is a forcible, logical, earnest and most effective preacher of the Gospel.

INSEPARABLY associated with the progress of agriculture in Canada, is the name of the late William Weld, of London, Ontario. He was the son of the Rev. Joseph Weld, M. A., of Westwell House, Tenderden, Kent, England, where he was born in 1824. At the age of nineteen, he came to Canada, and bought a farm in Deleware Township, Ontario, where he successfully carried on the work of a pioneer farmer. He early recognized the advantage of pure bred stock. A far seeing sagacity was one of his characteristics, and after twenty-one years of farming, he saw that an agricultural journal was needed; in 1866, therefore, he began the publication in London, of the *Farmer's Advocate*, which long ago earned for itself its present world-wide reputation. At first progress was slow. Prejudices, difficulties and trials were encountered, that would have vanquished any ordinary man, but Mr. Weld's supreme faith in the ultimate success of his cause, coupled with intelligence, indomitable perseverance and untiring zeal, triumphed over every obstacle. In the farm homes of Canada, the United States and many foreign countries, the *Farmer's Advocate* is a welcome and trusted visitor, and an authority on all agricultural questions treated in it. Mr. Weld also founded the *Canadian Agricultural Emporium*, from which he sent out to farmers, all over Canada and elsewhere, many new and improved varieties of grain, seeds, etc. He persistently resisted everything which he conceived to be detrimental to agriculture, and the efforts of no one man more than his, did so much to keep live stock diseases out of Canada. In the future of Canada, he had the greatest hopes. In 1845, Mr. Weld married Agnes Johnstone, who, with eight sons and two daughters, survive him. He died January 3rd, 1891. Generous and honorable in all his dealings, in social life he was the most hospitable and warm hearted of men, and his kindly and genial manner will ever be remembered by the large circle of friends and acquaintances he left behind.

ALBERT HAGAR, ex-M.P., Sheriff, L'Orignal, Ont., was born in the Township of North Plantagenet, in 1827. When seven years of age, his mother died, and he was shortly afterwards sent to the State of Vermont to be educated. After completing his school training at the St. Johnsbury and Peachen academies, he returned to his native place in 1847, and from that time forward, took a prominent part in public affairs, both in municipal matters and in national politics. Beginning official life as township clerk, he became warden of the county, and in 1887, was elected to the House of representatives for the County of Prescott, and in 1872, was returned by acclamation. At the General Election of 1873, he was again re-elected, and at the General Election of 1878, was a candidate, but was defeated by three votes. At the By-Election which followed the death of Dr. Harkins, M.P.P., he was a successful candidate for the Ontario Legislature, and was, at the next General Election, again returned. In 1886, he declined to accept the candidature, being tired of public life, and in April, 1887, was appointed Sheriff for the united counties of Prescott and Russell, with the unanimous approval of the public in general. Since 1857, he has been extensively interested in farming and lumbering, and is now one of the most important agriculturists in the province. To him the farming community owe a great deal, as he has always been foremost in introducing farm improvements, and in breeding and importing high-blooded stock. He has, during his whole career, kept steadily in view the prosperity of his section of country, and has been active in all measures tending to promote its interests, especially in the endeavors to secure extended railway facilities. Diligent and persevering in business, energetic in the promotion of agricultural science, enterprising and affable, Mr. Hagar has formed himself a circle of true and devoted friends and he has merited the respect of all who know him and has well earned his brilliant success.

JOSEPH ALBERT MARCOTTE, M.D., C.M., Black Lake, Que., was born December 21st, 1862, in Ste. Monique of Nicolet, Que. He is a son of Léon Marcotte, and Aurélie Duplissis, sister of the late Dr. Duplissis, of Richmond, who was one of the best-known medical men of his time. Dr. Marcotte was educated at Nicolet Seminary, which he entered in 1876, completing his classical course in 1883. He then accepted a chair in St. François College, Richmond, as professor of the French language, which he filled with efficiency for one year, at the same time acting as clinical assistant in the office of his uncle, Dr. Duplissis. In 1884, he entered the medical department of Victoria College, and in 1888, graduated with high-class honors, and the degrees of M.D., C.M. He began to practise at once at Capelton, afterwards removing to West Broughton. He succeeded in building up large practices at both these places, but in 1890, located at Black Lake, where he has since remained. He is a member of the I.O.F., and is Court physician to that order. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. Dr. Marcotte was married, May 26th, 1891, to Marie, daughter of Michel Fortier, Esq., Thetford, Que.

JAMES MILLER, Brick Manufacturer and Farmer, Shubenacadie, N.S., was born in Hants County, N.S., May 10th, 1824. His parents were James Miller and Sarah Parr. He received his education at the public schools of Nova Scotia, leaving the same when thirteen years of age. After a time, he went to the United States to learn the brick making trade, and after having become familiar with all the branches of that business, returned to Nova Scotia, and commenced to manufacture on an extensive scale at Shubenacadie, shipping principally to Halifax and Amherst, and also supplying the principal collieries. At the present, he does not give personal attention to the affairs of his business, but leaves that part to two of his sons. Mr. Miller is a prominent member of the Loyal Orange Order, being treasurer of the R. W. Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia nineteen years, and was also Magistrate for Hants and Colchester counties. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England, and in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Miller was married, in 1858, to Nannie, daughter of Jacob Henniger, of U. E. Loyalist descent. His family consists of four sons and seven daughters.

WILLIAM ALLIN, Agricultural Implement Dealer, Lucknow, Ont., was born in Ontario County, Ont., in 1853. His parents were William and Grace (Wade) Allin. When fifteen years of age, Mr. Allin struck out for himself, and before he was seventeen, he was selling agricultural implements. In 1873, he located in Lucknow, and since then his success has been rapid and substantial. He owns his new and magnificent premises on Main Street, besides several other stores and real estate in the town. His stock of vehicles, agricultural implements of every description, also of pianos, organs, sewing machines, etc., is complete. His long course of honorable dealing has made him hosts of friends in Huron and Bruce counties. In religion, he is an adherent of the Methodist Church, and in politics, a Reformer. He is also a member of the A. O. U. W., and has been a member of the Municipal Council of Lucknow. In 1889, Mr. Allin married Margaret, daughter, of James McAlpine, Esq., of London, Ont. They have three sons and two daughters.

WILLIAM ALLIN.

REV. A. G. SUTHERLAND.

REV. ALEXANDER GRAHAME SUTHERLAND, Pastor of Knox Presbyterian Church, Ripley, Ont., was born in Scotland, January 5th, 1817. His parents, and the family, landed in Pictou, N. S., in 1819. Our subject was educated at Pictou Academy, Dalhousie College, Halifax, and afterwards at Edinburgh University. He was licensed by the Free Church Presbytery of Edinburgh, August 24th, 1845, and commissioned to the Presbytery of Pictou, where his field extended over a distance of one hundred and fifty miles. He was ordained on a call from Earltown and West Branch of River John, March 24th, 1846. After seven years, he was called to Prince Edward Island, where he labored for seven years more, when he returned to his first field. In 1869, he went to Nebraska and built a handsome church in Schuyler, for the people who had emigrated from the provinces. May 1874, he was inducted into the Presbyterian Congregation of Melbourne, Ont., and in December, 1876, was settled at Ripley. In December, 1848, he was married to Miss Christina Ross.

THOMAS SELI.

THOMAS SELI, Merchant, Harriston, Ont., was born in 1853, in London, Ont. His parents, John and Sarah (Hawkshaw) Seli, reside in Brussels, Ont. At an early age, he began mercantile life, as a clerk, in St. Mary's, and subsequently clerked in St. Thomas, Elora and Lucknow. In 1882, he opened a store of his own in Wingham. The next year, he removed to Harriston, where he became a partner of S. Groff, and on January 1st, 1884, he became sole proprietor. Mr. Seli is considered a first-class business man, prompt, courteous and reliable, a man of tact and push, and his business has steadily increased. The stock, dry goods, clothing, millinery, carpets, groceries, boots and shoes, occupies one of the finest double stores in Harriston. In religion, Mr. Seli is a Methodist, an official in his church for years. In 1876, Mr. Thomas Seli was married to Miss Christina, daughter of the late Hugh Hamilton, Esq., ex-Reeve of Elora, one of the most highly esteemed men of that place. His family consists of four sons, John, Hugh, Fred and Clarence.

OTTO L. SCHMIDT, B.A., Language Master, Harriston High School, was born in 1860, in New Hamburg, Ont. His father was the late Rev. Wm. Schmidt, the first Evangelical Association minister ordained in Canada. His ministry extended over forty years. Mr. Schmidt was educated at Toronto University, taking several prizes and a scholarship, and graduating, in 1882, with first-class honors in classics. His first appointment was in Picton High School. In 1885, he received his present appointment. Mr. Schmidt's reputation is now more than provincial, and he has had offers of headmastership and other positions in various parts of the Dominion. He is a natural teacher, loves to impart, and is a good disciplinarian. As a philatelist, his collection of three thousand six hundred different stamps is doubtless one of the largest in the Dominion. Mr. Schmidt is president of several athletic clubs of Harriston, such as Football, Curling, Lacrosse, Cricket, etc. He belongs to the I.O.O.F., and the I.O.F. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, a Reformer.

OTTO L. SCHMIDT.

REV. JOHN CAMERON, retired Presbyterian Clergyman, Bridgetown, N.S., was born in Pictou County, N.S., September 21st, 1817. He received his early education at the schools of New Glasgow, N.S., took his arts course at Pictou College, graduating with honors in 1839. He studied theology at Dalhousie College, Halifax, graduating, in 1843, with first-class honors, and was licensed to preach by the Truro Presbytery, April 14th, 1844. September 17th of the same year, he was appointed to Hants County, the congregation there comprising Nine Mile River, Gore and Kennetcook, and after he had been there twenty years, the two latter became one congregation, and Nine Mile River and Elmsdale, another. In 1879, he removed to Bridgewater, remaining six years, when he removed to Bridgetown, under the Home Mission Association, where he labored two years, but on the presbytery connecting it with Annapolis, Mr. Cameron found the work too hard, and retired from active service. Mr. Cameron has been married twice: first, to Mary, daughter of the late Dr. McGregor, of Pictou, N.S., and second, to Mary A. Isabel Hebb, of Bridgewater, N.S. His family consists of six children.

HECTOR MACLEAN, Bridgetown, Annapolis County, N.S., was born at Hastings, Inverness County, February 14th, 1843. His parents were John and Margaret (MacArthur) MacLean, of "Rum," Argyleshire, Scotland. He went to Sea three years, securing a Master Mariner's Certificate. In 1865, he took up civil engineering, and, later, railroad contracting, first, in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, afterwards, for ten years, as one of the firm of Parker & MacLean, in the United States, where he managed the building and operating of several hundred miles of road, and never lost a man by accident. In 1890, he returned to Annapolis, where he has an extensive farm. He is managing-director of the International Brick Company, president of Middleton Water Company, director of Valley Telephone Company, president Clan MacLean Association of the Maritime Provinces, first vice-president of Clan MacLean Association of North America, and president of the Liberal Association of Annapolis County. In 1869, was married to Julia E., daughter of the late Hon. W. C. Whitman. Mr. MacLean, is a Presbyterian, a Free Mason and an enthusiastic Highlander, speaking and reading Gaelic well.

HENRY A. MARCH, M.D., Bridgewater, N.S., was born in that place, December 14th, 1863. His father is the Rev. Stephen March, Baptist Minister, and his mother Anna Elizabeth Keating. His father came from England to Canada in 1850, settling in St. John, N.B. Dr. March took his academic course at Acadia College, Wolfville, N.S., and his medical course at Ann Arbor, Michigan, where he graduated in 1886. He was appointed class poet of his year; he also took a post graduate course in 1886-87. In addition to his extensive practice, Dr. March is a vice-president of the Nova Scotia Medical Society, Coroner of Lunenburg County, and is popular with the medical profession. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F., and in religion is a Baptist. Dr. March married, in Ann Arbor, Michigan, Miss D. B. Cooke.

THOS. J. BRADY, Montreal, Que., representing J. C. Wilson & Co., paper manufacturers, was born September 10th, 1863, in Montreal. He is the eldest son of the late Jno. Brady. Mr. Brady was educated at the Christian Brothers School, St. Henri, Montreal, where he resided for a number of years. He also attended the Sarsfield School, Point St. Charles, and there devoted a great deal of his time to drawing and painting, an art for which he has special qualification. At the age of eighteen, he entered the establishment of the Lang Manufacturing Company, in the capacity of traveller, and filled that position ably and satisfactorily, until 1888, when he formed connections with his present employers. He is one of the most popular and successful men on the road. In politics, he is a Conservative.

WILLIAM STERLING CASE, ex-President Western Ontario Commercial Travellers' Association, London, Ont., was born 1837, in Wellington County, of English parentage. Beginning commercial life in 1864, he has held only three positions since, being now eighteen years traveller for Robinson, Little & Co., of London. Eleven years a director of the W.O.C.T.A., he was two years first vice-president by acclamation, and two years by acclamation president, being the only man, other than a wholesale merchant or partner, having the honor of the presidency. He is now the treasurer of its Mutual Benefit Association. In religion, a Methodist; in politics, a Reformer; he also belongs to the I.O.O.F., and Royal Arcanum. His wife was Mary Lester Cooper, of the Isle of Wight.

THOMAS LAWRENCE, Hardware Merchant, Lucknow, Ont., was born in 1831, in Retford, Nottingham, England. He came to Canada in 1854. In 1860, he entered the employ of John McClary, London, with whom he remained seven years. In 1867, he began business on his own account, in Belfast, Ont., and one year later, removed to Lucknow, where he has since continued with success. He was a member of the first Council of Lucknow, and thirteen consecutive years on the Lucknow School Board. In religion, he is an adherent of the Methodist Church, and has been for years treasurer of the church to which he belongs in Lucknow. Mr. Lawrence was married, in 1863, to Margaret, daughter of the late Christopher Lindsay, of Goderich Township. His family consists of five sons and three daughters.

J. G. MURDOCH, of Cameron, Murdoch & Co., Lucknow, Ont., was born in 1858, in Waterloo County. His parents were William and Margaret (Green) Murdoch, of Scotch descent. He taught for several years, but in 1881, gave up teaching, and opened business in Lochalsh, where he remained for seven years, during which time he was postmaster. In 1888, he formed the present partnership. Mr. Murdoch belongs to the I.O.O.F., is a prominent official in the I.O.G.T. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and is president of the Union Sabbath School Association of his district. In politics, he is a Liberal, and takes an active interest in the party. He also sat, for four years, in the Lucknow Council. In 1881, Mr. Murdoch was married to Jessie, daughter of Alexander McKenzie, Esq., of Lucknow, Ont.

R. J. HISCOX, Merchant, Teeswater, Ont., was born in 1862, in Mayfield, Peel County, Ont. His parents, Robert and Miriam (Matthews) Hiscox, were of English birth. In 1878, Mr. Hiscox entered mercantile life, as a clerk, in the employ of Mr. Allan McLean, of Teeswater, with whom he remained until 1885, when he was admitted as a partner of the firm. In 1887, Mr. McLean retired and Mr. Jos. Farrow was admitted. In 1888, Mr. Hiscox assumed sole control. Since then, the business has steadily grown. In politics, Mr. Hiscox is a Conservative, and in religion, a Methodist, a trustee of the church and superintendent of Sunday School. He is also a prominent member of the I.O.O.F. In 1889, he married Miss Martha, daughter of J. Hooey, of Millbank, Ont. His family consists of two sons.

R. D. CAMERON, of Cameron, Murdoch & Co., Merchants, Lucknow, Ont., was born in 1857, in Huron County. His parents, Alexander K. and Grace (Anderson) Cameron, of Scottish birth, are both living. He was educated at Owen Sound Academy and Toronto Normal School, and taught school for eight years, after which he conducted business in Belfast, Ont., for three years. In 1888, he formed a partnership with Mr. J. G. Murdoch, and together they have since been very successful. In religion, Mr. Cameron is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a staunch Reformer. He is also a prominent member of the A.O.U. W., and I.O.F., and takes a great interest in temperance and Sunday school work. In 1882, Mr. Cameron was married to Miss Mary Murdoch, of Ashfield, who died in 1892.

T. W. DAVIS, Hardware Merchant, Ripley, Ont., was born in 1859, in Stratford, Ont. His parents, T. and Elizabeth (Ayre) Davis, of English birth, reside in Southampton, Ont. At the age of fifteen, he went to learn the tinsmithing trade. In 1882, he began business on his own account in Ripley, and although burnt out in 1888, he now has one of the largest connections in the county, and one of the finest establishments in the place. Mr. Davis is a prominent official in the A.O.F. He also belongs to the L.O.L., and in politics, is an active and influential Conservative. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, and has been a church warden and delegate to the Synod. In 1886, he was married to Mary, daughter of John Brown, Esq., of Huron Township, formerly an officer in the British Navy.

NEWTON T. TRUELL, Principal of Lachute Academy, was born in Stanstead, Que., May 8th, 1866. He is the second son of Valorous Truell, J.P., ex-mayor of Barnston, and Dame Caroline Hollister, and a brother of H. V. Truell, B.A., B.C.L., Montreal. Mr. V. Truell has been, for many years, a prominent stock raiser and agriculturist in the Eastern Townships, and an active Conservative. The subject of this sketch received his education at Stanstead Wesleyan College, the Collège de St-Hyacinthe, and graduated from St. Francis College in 1885, with honors in classics, also receiving a first-class academy diploma for English and French schools in the same year. Mr. Truell speaks both languages fluently, having spent four years in acquiring a knowledge of the French tongue. In 1885, he was appointed head master of the Model School at Portage du Fort, Que. This institution rose rapidly under his management, and stood at the head of the model schools of the province, when he resigned, in 1888, to accept a similar position in the St. John's High School. Military drill and calisthenics, which are now compulsory in the academies and high schools of the Province of Quebec, were first introduced into a county academy by him, in St. John's. In 1892, when the handsome new academy at Lachute was completed, Mr. Truell was offered, and accepted, the position of principal, which he has since filled. This academy ranks second in the number of pupils and quality of work, among the higher institutions of learning in Quebec, as shown by the results of the Government competitive examinations. He is a member of the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction, president of the Argenteuil Teachers' Association, vice-president (*ex officio*) of the Provincial Teachers' Association, etc., etc. In religion, Mr. Truell is an Episcopalian, and in politics, a Conservative. In 1892, he was married to J. Maude, second daughter of I. B. Futvoye, superintendent of the Central Vermont Railway.

REV. WILLIAM D. REID, B.A., B.D., Pastor of Victoria Presbyterian Church, Montreal, was born near Leeds Village, Que., in 1866. During his boyhood, his educational facilities were limited, and until nineteen years of age, he worked on his father's farm. At that time, he was seized with an ambition to study for a profession, and set out on his own account to qualify himself for the Presbyterian Ministry. Fortunately, for this undertaking, he possessed the elements of success, which are common to all men who have, by their own efforts, made their way up the heights of fame.

After preparing himself for teaching at the Leeds Grammar School and by private study, he entered the Berthier Grammar School, where he taught one year as well as following the prescribed course of study there. From Berthier, he went to St. Francis College, Richmond, where he acted as janitor, in return for his board and tuition. In 1888, he entered McGill University, and while there gave private tuition to procure funds to enable him to prosecute his studies. He graduated B.A. in 1890, and in the Fall of the same year, commenced the study of theology in the Montreal Presbyterian College. He graduated with first-rank honors in April, 1893, and the degree of B.D. was conferred upon him one year later. He was ordained and inducted to the pastorate of Victoria Presbyterian Church in June, 1893, which he had founded during his labors as student, and which has now a membership of nearly three hundred. Among the many distinctions conferred upon him, during his theological course, he received the following prizes: the Senate Prize in 1891 and 1892; the Walter Paul Prize for oratory, in 1891; the L. R. S. Weir Prize for music, in 1891 and 1892; a prize for writing the best essay on "the moral influence of the stage," in 1892; and the Mrs. David Morrice Prize, in 1893. As a preacher, he is earnest, forcible and eloquent. As Mr. Reid is yet a young man, much is expected from him in the future.

ROBERT GRIEVE.

ROBERT GRIEVE, of the firm of Grieve Bros., Harriston, Ont., was born in 1864, in Mornington, Ont. He received a public school education, after which he worked on his father's farm until he engaged in the lumber business in Elma Township, from 1880 to 1886. He also worked on the G.T.R. a short time. In 1887, he formed a partnership with his brother, John Grieve, with whom he has been ever since. In addition to their flax mill, they operate one of the finest traction steam well drillers in Canada, the first, probably, of its kind, in Ontario. It drills a six inch hole thirty to thirty-five feet per day, in rock, and much farther in earth. Mr. Grieve is a member of the Harriston Municipal Council. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Liberal. He also belongs to the I.O.F., the S.O.S., and is High Chief Ranger in the C.O.F. In 1890, Mr. Grieve was married to Miss J. A. Hutchinson, daughter of the late Hugh Hutchinson, of Crosshill, Ont., by whom he has two children. Mr. J. N. Grieve, M.P. for North Perth, is his brother.

JOHN GRIEVE, of the firm of Grieve Bros., Harriston, Ont., was born in 1854, in Mornington Township, Perth County, Ont. His parents, Wm. and Elizabeth (Fisher) Grieve, came from Scotland in 1850, and settled in Perth County. Mr. Grieve was educated at the schools of Perth County, after which he worked in turns at farming and carpenter work, until 1880, when he began operating a saw mill in Elma Township, which he ran six years. In 1887, he and his brother Robert, formed the present partnership, and built a flax mill at Neustadt, Ont., which they conducted for five years. In 1891, they went to Harriston, and bought a fine flax mill, which they still operate. Mr. Grieve is an adherent of the Presbyterian Church, and in politics, is a Reformer. He is also a member of the A. F. & A. M., and a prominent officer in the I.O.O.F., K.O.T.M., the C.O.F., also of the Harriston Town Council. In 1879, he was married to Eliza, daughter of Alexander Davidson, Esq., of Mornington, by whom he has six children : four sons and two daughters.

JOHN GRIEVE.

PATRICK ALEXANDER MACDONALD, M.D., Port Hawkesbury, Cape Breton, was born at Harbor au Bouche, Antigonish County, N.S. His parents were Alexander and Catherine Macdonald. Dr. Macdonald received his education at St. François-Xavier's College, Antigonish, N.S., after which he took his medical course at Harvard University, graduating with the degree of M.D. in 1871. He at once located in Port Mulgrave, but removed to Port Hawkesbury in 1882. Dr. Macdonald belongs to the Nova Scotia Medical Society, is medical superintendent of Marine Hospital at Point Tupper, quarantine officer for the Strait of Canso, Coroner for the counties of Inverness and Guysboro. In politics, he is a Conservative; in religion, a Roman Catholic. He was one of the first councillors for the town of Port Hawkesbury. Dr. Macdonald is married to Miss Annie B. Condon, daughter of Thomas Condon, Esq., of Guysboro, N.S. His family consists of three sons and one daughter, two of the former are at present attending the college at Antigonish, N.S.

PATRICK ALEX. MACDONALD.

FRED. L. M. PAINT.

FRED. L. M. PAINT, Mayor of Port Hawkesbury, Nova Scotia, and Merchant, was born March 21st, 1853, at that place. His father was Peter Paint, who died in 1883, a prominent merchant of Cape Breton, having been in business there since 1834, and established the trade now conducted by our subject and Wm. H. Paint, in 1855, the firm now being known as Peter Paint & Sons. Mr. F. L. M. Paint was educated at Pictou Academy where he received a most practical training. He has been very successful in business, and has also taken a prominent part in municipal matters, and has held the office of mayor for three terms. His wide knowledge of public matters and his keen interest in all that concerns the common weal, soon brought him to the front and placed him in the chair of chief magistrate. He has filled this office with much credit to himself, and satisfaction to the people. In politics, he is a Conservative, and in religion, a Baptist. Mr. Paint was married, April 21st, 1894, to Miss Eleanor Skimmings, daughter of R. H. Skimmings, formerly of Halifax, N.S.

LOUIS GUILBAULT, Advocate and Postmaster, L'Assomption, Que., was born at that place, February 1st, 1837. His parents were Pierre and Esther Guilbault. Mr. Guilbault completed a full course at L'Assomption College. He then studied law with Casault & Langlois, Quebec, at the same time attending Laval University, and graduated September 1st, 1860. He at once began to practise in Quebec city, in partnership with now Judge Plamondon, of Arthabaskaville, Que., where he remained ten years. He then removed to L'Assomption, where he has risen in the confidence of his townsmen, until his business has assumed large proportions. In 1869, he was appointed postmaster. He has also been the operator of the Dominion Telegraph for twenty years. In politics, Mr. Guilbault is a Conservative, and formerly did much active work for his party. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. October 17th, 1860, he married Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph Guilbault, of L'Assomption. His family consists of four children. One of his daughters, Sister St. Raphael, is at the Congregation of Notre-Dame, Montreal. Mr. Guilbault has rendered this institution much valuable service.

WILLIAM FRANCIS SCOTT, M.D., M.R.C.S., Eng., Hull, Que., was born March 24th, 1853, at the city where he now resides. He is a son of the late Hon. John Scott, Judge of the County Court for the United Counties of Huron and Bruce, Ont., who was a member of the Canadian Legislature prior to Confederation. His mother's maiden name was Nancy Louisa Wright, grand-daughter of Philemon Wright, founder of Hull. Dr. Scott received his early education at Ottawa Collegiate Institute, and in 1871, entered McGill University, graduating in 1875 with honors and the degrees of M.D., C.M. He then went to England, studying in St. Thomas' Hospital, London, where he remained nearly two years, and was then admitted to the Royal College of Surgeons, England. In the Fall of 1876, he returned to Canada and located in Hull, where he has since remained. He was for seven years an alderman, and was mayor for one term. In politics, he is a Conservative, and takes an energetic part in election campaigns. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England. Dr. Scott was married, in 1886, to Jane Maria Alma, second daughter of Sheriff Coutlée, of the district of Ottawa.

RODERICK McKENZIE, retired chief factor of the Hudson's Bay Company, Melbourne, Que., was born in 1820, in Rossshire, Scotland. He received his education in the village of Ullapoll, Scotland. In 1847, he entered the services of the Hudson's Bay Company, as clerk, and by integrity, ability and untiring industry, soon rose to the rank of a commissioned officer in the company, and in course of time was promoted to the position of chief trader, in which capacity he served eleven years, giving great satisfaction to his employers and to the public. In 1872, he resigned his post and retired to Melbourne.

In religion, Mr. McKenzie is a Presbyterian, and has been an elder for a number of years. Mr. McKenzie was married, in September, 1853, to Miss Jane McKenzie. His family consists of five sons and three daughters.

J. GILLIES, M.D., C.M., (McGill), Teeswater, Ont., was born in 1843, in Halton County, Ont. His parents were John and Isabella (McPhail) Gillies. He was educated at Galt Grammar School, (Dr. Tassie's), matriculated in Arts, Toronto University, in 1862, and graduated from McGill University, Montreal, in 1867. Has practised in Teeswater since that time, and has a large connection. The doctor sat five years in the Teeswater Council, and is now its treasurer. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., the K.O.T.M., C.O.F., I.O.F., and is an honorary member of the S.O.S. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Reformer. In 1869, Dr. Gillies married Fanny, daughter of the late Wm. Midford, Esq., of Ottawa. His family consists of four children, the eldest son being a B.A. and a student in medicine.

LEVI W. WYMAN, Postmaster and Secretary-Treasurer of Waterville, Que., was born September 5th, 1833, in Compton County, Que. His parents were Uriah and Louisa S. (Fisk) Wyman. After spending some years in mercantile life, he was appointed postmaster, October 1st, 1866, and has since filled that office with great satisfaction. Taking an active interest in municipal matters, he was first mayor of Waterville, holding that office for fourteen years, and resigned to accept his present position of secretary-treasurer. When mayor, he was also warden for the County of Sherbrooke, and has been commissioner and chairman of the School Board. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, a Liberal. Mr. Wyman was married, in 1861, to Hannah S. Sals, of Stanstead, Que. His family consists of eight children.

JOHN DONAGHY, Merchant, Fordwich, Ont., was born in 1845, in Megantic, Que. He was educated at Inverness Academy, P. Q., and for several years followed farming and telegraph operating. In 1882, he opened a grocery store in Fordwich, which soon developed into a general store, whose volume of business has steadily increased until now it amounts to nearly $20,000 a year. Mr. Donaghy is a prominent official in the L.O.L., the C.O.F. and B.K. of Ireland. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, and a warden in his church. In politics, he is a Conservative. In 1881, Mr. Donaghy was married to Miss Martha, daughter of Wm. Williamson, Esq., of Wallace, now of Listowel, by whom he has three sons and one daughter. Mr. Donaghy is a thorough and successful business man and very popular.

GORDON JAMES SMITH, Barrister, Paris, Ont., was born at Peterboro', Ont., January 3rd, 1865. His parents were Alexander Smith and Elizabeth Roger Hall, daughter of the late Sheriff Hall, of Peterboro'. His father was a native of Scotland, and was at one time local manager of the Bank of Toronto, but afterwards conducted extensive lumbering operations in the County of Peterboro'. Mr. Smith graduated from Queen's College, Kingston, with the degree of B.A. in 1886. He then began the study of law, and was called to the Bar in 1889, and at once commenced to practise in Toronto. In 1894, he removed to Paris, where he is building up a large practice. Mr. Smith is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Liberal, an able debater and most useful man to his party. He is also a member of the S.O.S. and I.O.F.

JAMES CRAN, Manager of the Bank of British North America, Paris, Ont., was born at Tarland, Aberdeenshire, Scotland, August 20th, 1848. His parents were Dr. Alexander Cran and Margaret Reid. Mr. Cran began his education at the parish schools of Tarland, and completed it at the University of Aberdeen, then entered the London and County Bank, at the Holborn branch. In 1870, he came to Canada in the service of the Bank of B.N.A., and was connected with the Victoria, Cariboo, San Francisco and Brantford branches. In October, 1890, he became manager of the Paris branch, which position he still occupies. In 1880, Mr. Cran was married to Mary Hills, daughter of Bishop Cridge, of Victoria, B.C. His family consists of four children. He is a Presbyterian, and chief of the Sons of Scotland Camp Cairngorm.

REV. JOHN SMITH HARDIE, Presbyterian Minister, Ayr, Ont., was born at Forfar, Scotland, August 21st, 1852. He received his early education at the parish schools, Forfar. At the age of fourteen, he entered mercantile life. In 1871, he came to the United States, and two years afterwards, to Brantford, Ont. In due time, he entered Knox College, Toronto, where he completed his theological course, graduating in April, 1885. As soon as licensed, he was called to Stanley Street Church, Ayr, and on June 2nd, 1885, he was ordained and inducted into his present charge where he has been much blessed in his labor. He is a spirited citizen, possesses great industry, and is active in temperance and social reform. Mr. Hardie married, August 12th, 1885, Mary A., daughter of Thomas Herrett, merchant, Guelph, Ont.

REV. GEORGE WATSON, retired Methodist Minister, Walkerton, Ont., was born in 1821, near Norwich, England. His parents were George and Phoebe (Humphrey) Watson. He was educated in England, and by private study. He came to Canada in 1855, and was ordained in 1861, at Brampton, as a Primitive Methodist Minister. He has served, on the following circuits, with great acceptability: Bosanquet, Walkerton, (twice), Plympton, McGillivray, Caradoc, Minto, Kincardine, Markdale, Walsingham Centre, Woodham, and at present lives retired at Walkerton. Mr. Watson has been married twice: first, in 1844, to Lydia Bowen, of England, who died in 1854, and second, in 1861, to Hannah Grainger, of Walkerton. His family consists of six sons, viz: Geo., John B., Waler W., Jos., Alf. E. and Benj. H.

HERBERT LADD JONES, Merchant and ex-M.P., Weymouth, N.S., with business also at Belliveaux Cove, N.S., was born at Weymouth, January 9th, 1858. His father was St. Clair Jones, while his mother was Helen Ladd. Mr. Jones received his education at the schools of Weymouth, and the Collegiate Institute, Fredericton, graduating in 1875. He then worked with his father for a time, and, in 1888, entered into partnership with his brothers, carrying on business as general merchants, lumbermen and ship owners, doing a large trade in each of these lines. He has taken an active interest in political matters, and on the death of Mr. John Campbell, M.P. for Digby, contested that county in the interests of the Conservative party with Mr. Robichau, at that time M.P.P. for the county, who resigned to run for the House of Commons, but was defeated by Mr. Jones after a hard fight. He represented Digby until 1891, when he was defeated by Mr. Bowers, the present member, after one of the closest contests ever known in the county. Mr. Jones was married, in 1891, to Kate D., daughter of Samuel G. Black, Esq., of Halifax. His family consists of one son. In religion, he is an Episcopalian.

REV. FATHER JAMES DALY, Meteghan, Digby County, Nova Scotia, was born in the city of Cork, Ireland, October 14th, 1834. He is the son of Michael Daly and Mary Moore, who came to this country in 1842. His father was, for many years, principal of St. Patrick's School, Halifax. He was a man of scholarly attainments, and as such was widely known throughout the Province of Nova Scotia. Father Daly received his early and classical education under the tuition of his father, after which he entered St. Mary's College, where he took his theological course, graduating from that institution, in 1858, with honors. He was ordained to the priesthood the same year, at the Cathedral, Halifax, by Archbishop Connolly, and appointed to take charge of the mission of Annapolis, where he remained one year. He passed some years in other parishes and was then appointed to Meteghan, his present charge, having ministered there twenty-eight years, (1894), and has succeeded in building up a flourishing parish. Father Daly has won the esteem and confidence of his parishioners. His church is one of the handsomest in the diocese, costing some $50,000, and being a model of architectural beauty.

LEMUEL RICHMOND SAUNDERS, Commercial Traveller, representing J. B. Goodhue, wholesale clothing merchant, Rock Island, Que., was born October 26th, 1873, at Rock Island, Que. His parents were Robert W. and Henrietta Saunders, who settled in Stanstead about the year 1880. He was educated at Stanstead Wesleyan College, where he graduated with honors in commercial course, June 17th, 1890. From July to November, 1890, he was salesman in a large dry goods store in Montreal, and was afterwards with F. W. D. Melloon, general merchant, Rock Island, until he engaged with his present employer, as above indicated. Mr. Saunders is a careful and painstaking traveller, well liked by his customers, thoroughly reliable, energetic and fully alive to the interests of the house he represents. He is a prominent member of the I.O.F., and I.O.O.F., having held the office of chief ranger in the former, the highest honor in the gift of his brethren, and is, at the present time, past chief ranger of his court. In religion, Mr. Saunders is a Methodist.

LEMUEL R. SAUNDERS.

REV. E. A. SHAW.

REV. EDWARD ALLEN SHAW, Methodist Minister, Wroxeter, Ont., was born January 28th, 1858, at Chippenham, Wiltshire, England. His parents were William and Harriet Shaw, the former being a clergyman of the Wesleyan Methodist Church. Mr. Shaw was educated at Woodhouse Grove School, Apperley Bridge, Yorkshire, and Wesleyan Theological College, Montreal. At the former school, which was for the training of Wesleyan ministers' sons only, he spent five years, and at the latter college, two years. Prior to entering the ministry, Mr. Shaw was engaged in the dry goods business. In 1882, he came to Canada, and in 1883, entered the ministry of the Canada Methodist Church, and previous to ordination, preached on Nipissing, Oakwood and Dundalk circuits. He was ordained at Galt, June 5th, 1887, and since then, has been stationed at Nassagaweya, Ponsonby and Wroxeter, his present charge. Mr. Shaw also belongs to the R. T. of T. He was married, October 26th, 1887, to Emma Edith, daughter of Geo. Gregg, Esq., of Huron County, Ont.

CHAS. M. BOWMAN.

CHARLES M. BOWMAN, Manufacturer, Southampton, Ont., was born in 1863, in Waterloo County, Ont. His parents are Isaac E. Bowman, M.P., and Lydia Bowman, of Waterloo, Ont. He was educated in the public school and the High School, Berlin. In 1879, he became apprenticed to the tanning business in his father's employ, and at nineteen, was admitted as a partner in the Southampton Tannery, in which place he has resided ever since, and where a very large and successful business is conducted. Mr. Bowman, in religion, is a Methodist, recording steward and trustee of his Church, and has been, for years, superintendent of his Sunday School. Every influence he exerts is for good, and he is very highly respected by all. He is chairman of the School Board. In politics, he is an active and influential Liberal, being president of the North Bruce Reform Association. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M. In 1886, Mr. Bowman was married to Miss Lulu Hesse, of Howell, Mich. His family consists of two children : one son and one daughter.

J. C. SIEMON, Manufacturer, Wiarton, Ont., was born in 1864, in Bruce County, Ont. His parents were John and Anna Volz Siemon, of German birth. They now reside in Wiarton, where they are very highly respected. When fourteen years of age, Mr. Siemon became apprenticed to the carpenter trade ; at seventeen, he went to Dakota, U. S., two years later, returned to Walkerton, and became the partner of his former employer. In 1888, he removed to Wiarton, entering into partnership with his brother-in-law, Mr. Hill. Their start was humble, their capital limited, and their odds heavy, but sterling integrity with courage, always win. To-day, they employ about forty hands, and their customers extend from the Pacific to the Atlantic, and their furniture is shipped to all parts of the Dominion. In religion, Mr. Siemon is a Lutheran, and in politics, a Conservative. He is a member of the Board of Trade, Wiarton, and also of the Council. Mr. Siemon has reached a high position in the respect of the community, very early in life.

J. C. SIEMON.

CHARLES BURRILL, Merchant, Weymouth Bridge, Digby County, N. S., was born at Yarmouth, N.S., May 4th, 1850. He is the son of late William Burrill, the well-known merchant and ship owner of that place, who was a native of the North of Ireland, and Catharine Sullivan, of Halifax. Mr. Burrill received his early education at the schools of Yarmouth, and then entered Yarmouth Seminary, where he graduated with honors, in 1869. He was then engaged in the shipping business with his brothers, and after a time, opened up an establishment, at Weymouth, in connection with them, under the firm name of Charles Burrill & Co. They are ship owners, and do a large business in lumber. They are also large importers from all parts of the World, and their goods are disposed of in the Maritime Provinces, by travellers. In politics, Mr. Burrill is an active Liberal, and has been offered the candidature for the House of Commons, but declined. In addition to his own business, he is also president of the following companies: Weymouth Agricultural Society, Digby County Exhibition Building Company, on the Council Board of the Horticultural School of Nova Scotia, director of the Insular Steamship Company. He is also a Justice of the Peace, notary public and commissioner for the County and Supreme Courts of the province, Spanish consular agent, and agent for the following insurance companies: Mutual Life of New York, North American Life, Commercial Union Fire of England, Travellers of Hartford, Queen Fire of England, Phœnix of Hartford, Boston Marine, Nova Scotia Marine, etc. Mr. Burrill was married, in 1876, to Lennie M. B., daughter of S. Jones, Esq., late Collector of Customs. His family consists of two sons and two daughters. In religion, Mr. Burrill, is a Presbyterian, but attends the Church of England, in Weymouth, as there is no Presbyterian Church at that place. He is one of the most highly esteemed and respected men in Digby County.

THE LATE PATRICK PURCELL, ex-M.P., was born May 1st, 1832, in Glengarry County. His parents were Michael and Catherine Purcell, of Charlottenburg. When seventeen, he located in Genesse County, N.Y., but in 1850, returned home. In 1851, he went to Charlottenburg for a short time, when he removed to Prescott, and acted as foreman of the Prescott and Ottawa Railway during its construction. In 1854-55, he was superintendent on Junction Canal, at Edwardsburg, (now Cardinal), and in 1855, returned to Charlottenburg. He afterwards was in charge of the construction of the G.T.R., between Port Huron and Detroit; in 1857, built at Cornwall the foundation on which the factories are situated. In 1861, he went to Halifax, and superintended the construction of Pictou and Truro Railway, and in the same Summer, took contract of St. Peter's Canal, which he completed in 1870. In December, 1871, commenced a contract on the I.C.R., afterwards on the C.P.R. from Thunder Bay to English River, and in 1879, with others, took the contract for the railroad from English River to Eagle River. In 1881, he removed to Fairfield Farm, on River St. Lawrence, where his widow still resides. His active duties, as contractor in his early days, prevented him from taking much part in municipal or political matters, but after settling as just indicated, was elected Reeve of his township. In 1887, he was the Liberal candidate for Glengarry County, for the Dominion House, and elected by a large majority, but owing to failure of his health, did not offer himself as candidate again. He was married, in 1852, to Belle, daughter of Angus McDonald. In May, 1891, he died at Annapolis, while looking after his contracts on Annapolis and Digby Railway, and was buried at Flannigan's Point, near his home. Having left much wealth, his body was stolen from the grave, and although a large reward was offered for its recovery, it was three years before it was found. In religion, Mr. Purcell was a Roman Catholic.

GEORGE GOULD, County Clerk, Walkerton, Ont., was born in 1826, in Enniskillen, Ireland. His parents were William and Elizabeth Gould. He was educated at Tennessee University, Nashville, Tenn., U.S.A., and became a civil engineer and land surveyor. He was appointed, by the Government, to survey several of the townships of Bruce County, has been County Clerk of Bruce for thirty-four years, also Municipal Clerk of the town of Walkerton. Mr. Gould is a member of the A. F. & A. M., and is also a J.P. In religion, he is a Methodist, a member of the Quarterly Board, trustee and steward. In politics, he is a staunch Conservative. He was married, in 1854, to Miss Elizabeth Snowdon, of Owen Sound, Ont., by whom he has four sons and two daughters, the former occupying prominent positions.

REV. FATHER S. E. WADEL, Parish Priest, Chepstow, Ont., was born in 1848, in Waterloo County, Ont. His parents were John Theobald and Aloisia (Schoefter) Wadel, natives of Alsace, France. Father Wadel was educated at the Berlin College, and Grand Seminary, Montreal. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1873, by Bishop Farrell, of Hamilton, and was sent as the first Parish Priest of Cayuga, where he remained five years, and built a fine brick church. In 1878, Father Wadel went as the first Parish Priest to Chepstow, where he has erected a fine brick schoolhouse, and a commodious priest's house. He also built a neat brick church in Southampton. He is earnest and successful, an active member of the C. M.B.A. in which order he has been chancellor. In politics, Father Wadel is a Reformer.

REV. J. T. KELLY, Parish Priest, Walkerton, Ont., was born May 1st, 1856, in Bruce County, Ont., his parents being Thomas and Ellen (Downs) Kelly. He was educated at St. Michael's College, Toronto, and the Grand Seminary, Montreal. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1883, by Bishop Fabre, of Montreal, spent his first year in the ministry in Arthur, Ont., the next five years in Caledonia and Dunnville, then one year in Hamilton, then two years in Oakville, and about two years ago, was appointed to his present charge. Father Kelly is earnest in his work, has a pleasant manner, and is popular with all his acquaintances, and doubtless a bright future is in store for him. He belongs to the C.M.B.A. He spent his boyhood and early manhood on his father's farm, where he gained a sound constitution.

THE REV. JOHN ROBT. KENNEDY-BELL, M.A., Rector of the Church of the Ascension, Paisley, St. Paul's, Pinkerton and Vesta, County Bruce, was born October 3rd, 1852, at Derby, Eng. He was educated at Derby School and Christ Church, Oxford, and ordained deacon in 1876. After seven years of educational work, holding *inter alia* the second mastership of Marylebone Grammar School, London, and head mastership of Deytheur Grammar School, Wales, he was ordained priest in Ripon Cathedral, by Bishop Helmuth, and was successively curate of Leeds, St. Giles in the Fields, London, and curate in charge of the well-known Parish of St. Sepulchre, London. He assumed his present charges in 1893. In 1878, he married Miss Harriett Goater, of Nottingham, Eng., and has two sons and two daughters.

S. M. HUTCHESON, Manager Western Bank, Paisley, Ont., was born in 1867, in Bowmanville, Ont. His parents were St. John H. and Ada L. (Scobell) Hutcheson. He was educated in the public school, and when eighteen years of age, entered the employ of the Western Bank, in New Hamburg, Ont., where he remained one year. In 1886, he went to Paisley, as teller, and in 1893, was promoted to the responsible position of manager. Mr. Hutcheson is a member of the A. F. & A. M., being, at present, worshipful master, also of the I.O.O.F., having held the office of secretary-treasurer. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, in politics, a Conservative, and the able and popular secretary of the Paisley Conservative Association. Mr. Hutcheson married, in 1890, Mary, daughter of James Saunders, Esq., of Paisley, Ont.

D. M. JERMYN, Financial Agent, Wiarton, Ont., was born in 1856, in Biddulph Township, Middlesex County, where the "Jermyn Line" is named after his father. He was educated in the Guelph High School. He first followed mercantile life, then conducted a financial agency in Granton. In 1886, he came to Wiarton, and has built up a large financial business. He is a Methodist, and in politics, a Conservative. He represented Wildey Lodge I.O.O.F. at the Grand Lodge, held in Ottawa, in 1885. In 1893, he was elected associate deputy grand master of the L.O.L., and re-elected to the same office in 1894. He is county master of the L.O.L. for North Bruce. He was Reeve of Wiarton in 1891-92, and now president of the Board of Trade. He married, in 1877, Nina, daughter of J. Jermyn, of Biddulph, Tp.

W M. W. HOGG, Treasurer of Elderslie Township, Paisley, Ont., was born in 1841, in Forfarshire, Scotland. His parents, William and Annie (Walker) Hogg, came to Canada in 1862, locating in Elora. Mr. Hogg settled in Paisley, in 1863. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and for over twenty years, has held the office of treasurer. In politics, he is a Liberal. He belongs to the A. F. & A. M., A.O.U.W., S.O.S. He has been treasurer of Elderslie since 1872. He was a member of the Paisley School Board thirteen years, and five as chairman. A director of the Paisley Mechanics' Institute, ex-president of Paisley St. Andrew's Society, five years, chief of the Paisley Caledonian Society, and for over twenty years bailiff and auctioneer. He married twice: first, to Miss M. Irving, and again, to Mrs. Agnes Geril, of Scotland.

REV. W. D. MAGEE, Baptist Minister, Wiarton, Ont., was born in 1865, in Dunnville, Ont. His parents were Geo. and Mary Jane Magee. In early life, he worked on the farm during the Summer, and attended school in Winter. When twenty years of age, he was converted, and decided to enter the ministry. He entered Woodstock College in 1887, but over study and close sedentary life compelled him to leave college, and for three years, he supplied pulpits at Forestville and Dunnville, and re-entered the college in 1890. In 1891, he went to Wiarton, and was ordained there in 1893. His ministerial work has been very successful. In 1888, Mr. Magee was married to Miss Catharine Deamude, of Sherbrooke, Haldimand County, Ont., by whom he had one son who was accidentally drowned in 1893.

REV. AIMÉ AVILA LABELLE, Parish Priest, Aylmer, Que., was born April 28th, 1859, at St. Placide, Two Mountains County, Que. He is a son of Paul Labelle, Esq., a well-known merchant of that place, and on his mother's side, is descended from an old French family of note. Father Labelle was educated at Bourget College, Rigaud, Que., completing a thorough classical course. He then studied theology in the same institution, at the same time teaching rhetoric. He graduated in theology, and was ordained by His Grace Archbishop Fabre, December 17th, 1881. He was then Vicar of St. Henri, Montreal, for nearly eight years. In 1889, he was appointed preacher of colonization in the dioceses of Montreal and Ottawa, gaining for himself the high esteem of the archbishops and the clergy. For fourteen months, he was Parish Priest at Grenville, Que., and was, in 1892, appointed to his present charge. Since his arrival in Aylmer, he has erected one of the finest church edifices in the Province of Quebec. Father Labelle is a popular and able preacher, and since his assumption of office, the parish has made rapid strides in spiritual and temporal prosperity.

JOSIAH D. SICARD, M.D., C.M., Buckingham, Que., is a native of that place, having been born there in 1861. He is a son of the late Jos. Sicard, in his day one of the principal lumber merchants of the Gatineau Valley, and was an important factor in extending trade in that part of the country. He was born near Montreal, in 1819, and married Miss Agatha Quevillon, of St. Scholastique, by whom he had a family of two sons and ten daughters; of the former, the subject of our sketch being the younger. Dr. Sicard began his education at the Sabrevois College, Montreal, afterwards attending McGill Normal School. He commenced the study of medicine in Victoria University in 1884, and graduated M.D. with highest honors in 1888. He at once began to practise at Buckingham, where he has since continued. He attends strictly to his professional duties, and has no time for participation in municipal or national politics, as his practice is extensive. In religion, the Doctor is a Presbyterian. He is also a member of the Masonic Order. Dr. Sicard was married, in 1890, to Miss Alma, daughter of Eugène Auger, of St. Hyacinthe. His family consists of two children.

F. H. KALBFLEISCH.

F. H. KALBFLEISCH, M.D., Paisley, Ont., was born in 1865, in Bridgeport, Waterloo County, Ont. His parents, George and Mary Dorathea (Decher) Kalbfleisch, of German birth, removed to Neustadt, Ont., in 1865. He was educated at Berlin High School, and as well as being a successful student, became a noted foot-ball player. He graduated at Trinity and Queen's universities with first-class honors in 1888. After practising ten months at Glammis, Ont., in 1889 he succeeded Dr. Ernest Hall, of Paisley, where he has now an excellent connection. In religion, Dr. Kalbfleisch is a Baptist, and in politics, a Conservative. He also belongs to the A. F. & A. M., I.O.O.F., C.O.F., Maccabees, and I.O.F., being medical examiner in each society, and Court physician for several of the orders. He is also medical examiner for nearly a dozen different insurance companies. He is a proficient musician, encourages outdoor sports, and is a general favorite, both as a citizen and a skillful physician and surgeon. In 1889, he married Estrella, daughter of E. Roos, of Fredonia, N.Y.

ALEX. EMERSON BELCHER, Banker, Reeve of Southampton, Ont., was born in 1844, near Toronto. His parents were John and Elizabeth (Grafton) Belcher, pioneers of Canada. He was educated in the public schools, Southampton, and Rockwood Academy. He learned telegraphy at the latter place, where he was appointed G.T.R. agent, remaining one year, when he returned to Southampton, and entered business, in which he continued four years, when he went on the road for twenty-five years. He was one of the inceptors of the Commercial Travellers' Association, of which he was an officer for years, and wrote a very interesting volume, "What I know of Commercial Travelling," which has had a wide circulation. He belongs to the A. F. & A. M., L.O.L., and A.O.U.W. When twenty-one years of age, he was elected to the Council of Southampton, and on his return there, in 1894, was made Reeve. Is president of the Conservative party in North Bruce, and in religion, a prominent member of the Methodist Church. He was married, in 1873, to Miss Augusta Barnes, of Georgetown, Ont.

ALEX. EMERSON BELCHER.

WILLIAM J. FAWCETT, Bank Manager, Tara, Ont., was born in 1860, in Huron County, Ont. His father, Joseph D. Fawcett, now lives retired in Drayton, Ont. Mr. Fawcett was educated in Drayton public schools, learned the dry goods business, at which he remained ten years. Since 1882, he has been engaged in the banking business, eleven years of which time he has lived in Tara. Mr. Fawcett is a member of the Municipal Council, a public school trustee, and connected with several fraternal societies. In the Methodist Church, to which he belongs, he has been honored by election to many official positions, such as recording steward, treasurer of trustee board, president of Epworth League, superintendent of Sabbath School, etc. For several years, he has been a delegate to the Annual Conferences, and is also a member of the General Conference. In politics, he is a Liberal. His present desirable position is the result of his business ability, perseverance and strength of character. He was married, in 1886, to Elizabeth J. Gordon, of Collingwood.

WILLIAM J. FAWCETT.

ALEXANDER J. GRANT.

ALEXANDER JAMES GRANT, ex-M. P.P. for Glengarry County, was born in that county, March 25th, 1829. His parents were James Grant and Catherine Dingwall. Mr. Grant received his education at the schools of Glengarry County, and until twenty-six years of age, assisted his father on the farm. In 1851, he settled on the farm where he has since resided. Early in life, he took an active interest in municipal matters, holding the office of councillor for twenty-five years, and afterwards was elected warden. In 1874, he was nominated, as an Independent candidate, for the House of Commons, but was defeated, but in 1875, was elected by a large majority, for the Ontario Legislature, and during the succeeding session, supported Sir Oliver Mowat, but has since supported the Conservative party. He has also held the positions of vice-president and president of Glengarry County Agricultural Society, director of the Farmers' Institute of his township, also Captain of No. 1 Company of Glengarry Battalion. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, holding the office of elder.

MICHAEL PURCELL, Glen Walter, Ont., was born May 4th, 1838, in Charlottenburg, Glengarry County. His parents were Michael Purcell and Catherine Grant, the former born in Kilkenny, Ireland, and the latter a native of Scotland, being a descendent of an old Scotch family. Mr. Purcell received his education in the schools of Glengarry. He took an active interest in the farming operations of his father, and remained at home until 1854, when he went as foreman for his brother, Patrick, while constructing the Junction Canal, at Cardinal. In 1857, he was manager, for his brother, on the construction of the foundation of the large factories at Cornwall. From 1857 to 1861, he remained at home on the farm, except the year 1859, when he went to New York, as foremen over one hundred men, on the construction of the waterworks. From 1866 to 1870, he was again, with his brother, on the construction of St. Peter's Canal, C.B. He then spent a short time at home. His next position was on the Toronto, Grey & Bruce R. R., as foreman; again from 1871 to 1873, he went as foreman on the construction of the I. C. R., at Miramichi, N. B., leaving there to return home to look after his father's business, who had recently died. Here he remained until 1877, when he took a contract to build twenty-five miles of the C. P. R., near English River, which he completed in 1878, returning home again, for some time. He afterwards constructed twenty-five miles of the Ontario & Quebec R. R., in the townships of Pickering and Markham, twenty-six miles of the Northern Pacific Ry., West of Sudbury, six miles of C. P. R., a branch to the copper mines at Sudbury, and eighteen miles, a branch of the C. P. R., from Sudbury to Sault Ste-Marie. Since 1887, he has given his full attention to farming. He is now the owner of four hundred acres, fronting the St. Lawrence. In politics, he is a Liberal, in religion, a Roman Catholic. In 1874, he married Isabella, daughter of E. McCaffrey, of the Province of Quebec.

ALEXANDER A. WEAGANT, M.D., C.M., Dickinson's Landing, Ont., was born near Morrisburg, Ont., August 15th, 1865. His father's name was Chas. W. Weagant, while his mother's maiden name was Amelia Colquhoun. Our subject's great grandfather emigrated from Germany near the close of the last century. He was an Episcopal Clergyman, and established the first church of that creed in the united counties of Dundas, Stormont and Glengarry, the original church being located at Williamsburg, where it still remains. Dr. Weagant received his early education in the common schools of Dundas County. At the age of fifteen, he entered Morrisburg Collegiate Institute, which he attended two years, when he entered Almonte High School, and after spending one year there, matriculated in 1883. He then spent one year on his father's farm, and in October, 1884, entered McGill University to pursue his medical course, graduating from that institution, M. D., C. M. in March, 1888. He then began to practise at Dickinson's Landing, where he has since remained, and has built up a most extensive and lucrative connection, and is known as a practitioner of more than ordinary success in all the branches of his profession, having a particular faculty for successful operating in surgery. His pronounced success in his profession is largely owing to the fact that he is truly a physician, devoting all his time and talents to his work; he therefore has not taken any specially active part in municipal matters. In politics, he is a strong Conservative. He is also a past master of Farran's Point Lodge of A. F. & A. M., a past master of Oznabruck Lodge A.O.U.W., treasurer of Fellowship Lodge, I.O.O.F., at Dickinson's Landing, also a member of the I.O.F., C.O.F., and Select Knights, and is medical examiner for all these societies. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. June 26th, 1889, Dr. Weagant was married to Helen, daughter of Johnston Brown, of Kingston. His family consists of one son.

REV. W. E. GELLING, Rural Dean, Bridgewater, N.S., was born Jan. 31st, 1831, at Castletown, in the Parish of Malew, Isle of Man. His parents were F. L. Gelling, advocate, and Harriet, daughter of Captain John Evans, 3rd Dragoons. Mr. Gelling was educated at the Castletown Grammar School, at King William's College, Isle of Man, and at St. Augustine's Missionary College, Canterbury, England. He was ordained deacon in 1856, and priest in 1859, by the Bishop of Nova Scotia. He was appointed curate of Beaver Harbour, afterwards at Louisburg and Guysboro. In 1871, he became rector of Holy Trinity Church, Bridgewater, and has been some years Rural Dean of Lunenburg. He was married to S. Eliz., daughter of Rev. I. Breading, and has six children living. He is also a Master Mason.

THE LATE EDWARD D. DAVISON, Lumberman, Bridgewater, N. S., was born in June, 1819, at Mill Village, Queens County, N.S. His parents, Samuel and Eleanor Davison, died when he was a boy. At eighteen, he took charge of a flourishing lumbering, farming and fishing industry, making Mill Village the head of his operations, and prosecuted his affairs with untiring zeal, until about 1865, when he removed to Bridgewater, and founded the well-known firm of E. D. Davison & Sons. In 1854, he was elected by the Liberals to the Provincial Parliament, as member for Queens County, and took an active part in politics up to the time of his death. He was twice married: first, to Miss Desiah Mack, and second, to Miss Martha Campbell, of Liverpool, N.S. His first family consists of three sons and four daughters.

REV. G. W. F. GLENDENNING, B. A., S. T. B., Methodist Minister, Liverpool, N.S., was born January 25th, 1859, at Truemanville, N.S. His parents are John and Elizabeth Glendenning. He studied at Mount Allison University, graduating with honors. Before ordination, he spent one year as assistant pastor at Bridgetown, and another year at Wentworth. Ordained at Halifax, in 1884, he labored three years in Gabarus, C. B. Two years were then spent at Boston University, where he took high rank as a student, and received his Divinity degree. After a full term in North Sydney, C.B., he was invited to Liverpool. Mr. Glendenning has been a successful pastor on every field of labor. He married, September 30th, 1884, at Amherst, N. S., Ellen M., daughter of J. Wethered Bent. His family consists of two children.

F. B. WADE, Q.C., Barrister, etc., Bridgewater, N.S., was born at Granville, Annapolis County, N.S., in 1852. His parents were highly respected residents of that County. Mr. Wade received his early education at the public schools, and by private tuition. He began the study of law, and was admitted to the Bar in 1875. He immediately began to practise, and is now one of the leading barristers of the Province. He was appointed prosecuting barrister for the County of Lunenburg, in 1886, and in 1891, was created a Q.C. He has recently associated with him V. J. Paton, under the firm name of Wade & Paton, and their practice is one of the largest and most remunerative in the Province. He is also receiver and manager of the Nova Scotia Central Railway and is largely interested in mining and other enterprises.

J. E. PRICE, L.D.S., Chesley, Ont., was born in 1847, in Toronto. His father was the late Rev. William Price, and his mother Elizabeth, daughter of the late well-known John Doel, Esq., first postmaster of Toronto. Mr. Price was educated at Victoria College, Cobourg, after which he took his dental course in Toronto, graduating in 1874. He then located in Owen Sound, but in 1879, removed to Chesley, where he is now in the enjoyment of a very large practice. In religion, Mr. Price is a Methodist; in politics, a Reformer. He is also a member of the I.O.O. F., I.O.G.T., A.O.U.W. and K.O.T.M. He was married, in 1871, to Alice, daughter of Thos. H. Gordon, Esq., of Drayton, a pioneer of that vicinity. They have one son and three daughters: William Henry, Elizabeth, Isabella and Carrie.

A. W. HENDRY, Shipbuilder and owner, West India Merchant, Liverpool, N.S., was born in 1854, in Queens County, N.S., of Scotch parentage. Mr. Hendry was educated at the public schools, by private study and extensive reading. He was first engaged as bookkeeper and head clerk, for a number of years, for J. & E. Locke, of Lockeport, N.S., but in 1884, went to Liverpool and entered into partnership with Wm. McMillan in shipping and general trade, under the firm name of Hendry & McMillan. Since 1889, Mr. Hendry has operated the business alone, and has increased its volume four-fold. He is also interested in cod trapping and lobster canning, on the Labrador Coast. He is a Free Mason, School Commissioner for Queens County, agent for Lloyd's, etc., etc. In politics, he is a Liberal.

ALEXANDER COWIE, Postmaster, Liverpool, Nova Scotia, was born December 8th, 1826. His parents were Andrew and Janet Cowie, the former born in Banffshire, Scotland, and came to this country in 1815, was a member of the House of Assembly, and took an active part in Confederation. Alex. Cowie was one of the firm of A. Cowie & Sons, who carried on a large business in shipping, lumber and tanning, and since 1880, has been postmaster of Liverpool, filling that position with great acceptability. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England, and in politics, a Conservative. He is also a member of the Masonic fraternity. He married, in 1848, Elizabeth DeWolf Spurr. Family consists of four sons and three daughters, one son being a clergyman of the Episcopal Church in California.

JAMES DINGWALL, Barrister, County Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for the united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, was born near Lancaster, Ont., May 8th, 1840. His parents were Malcolm and Ann Dingwall. He was educated at the public school, Lancaster, Williamstown High School, and graduated B.A. with honors at Queen's College, in 1860. He studied law in the office of his uncle, Mr. Justice McLennan, from 1864 to 1868. He received the appointments, as above mentioned, February 8th, 1873, since which time he has discharged them with satisfaction. In religion, he is a Presbyterian; in politics, a Liberal. He married, in 1878, Mary Hunter. His family consists of five children. He has been a member of the Cornwall High School Board, and now is chairman of same.

THOMAS PATRICK FORAN, M.A., Q. C., Barrister, Aylmer, Que., was born March 14th, 1849, at that place. His parents were John and Mary Louisa Foran, the former being a retired lumber merchant, who emigrated from County Tipperary, Ireland, in 1829, while his mother was a descendant of a Connecticut family, who, during the War of 1812, came to Canada. Mr. Foran was educated at the College (now University) of Ottawa, and in the law department of McGill University. He studied law in the office of Hon. T. A. R. Laflamme, entering the College of Ottawa in 1858, and graduating in 1867. He entered McGill University, December 16th, 1867, graduating B.C.L. in May, 1870. He was admitted to the Bar, January 11th, 1871. He received his B.A. from Ottawa University, April 9th, 1872, and his M.A. from the same institution, May 3rd, 1875. He was created a Q.C., March 7th, 1893. He was appointed a commissioner for the Civil Election of Parishes, July 8th, 1881. He published, in 1879 and 1885, two editions of the Civil Code of Procedure, at Quebec, with Chief Justice Stuart, styled his *Vade Mecum*. In 1889, he published a *Digest of Decisions in Criminal Law*. He has had charge of some of the most important criminal cases tried in his province; engaged as counsel for the defence in the Oka Indian trials, the Paquin trial, and thirteen cases of murder, not one of which resulted in a conviction for the capital crime. He has also taken an active interest in municipal affairs, was appointed town councillor, January, 1891, and re-elected in January, 1893. He was elected school commissioner in 1884, and chairman of the School Board in 1886, a position which he still holds. In religion, Mr. Foran is a Roman Catholic, and holds the office of warden in connection with his church at Aylmer. He was married, August 1st, 1883, to Mary Isabella, daughter of Donald B. McDonald, now of Aylmer, Que., but formerly of Glengarry County. Mrs. Foran died July 3rd, 1892. His family consists of one daughter.

GEORGE HUTCHISON, L.D.S., Ottawa, Ont., was born in Montreal, March 27th, 1846. His father's name was William Hutchison, who was an extensive builder in Montreal, while his mother's maiden name was Ellen Campbell Hall, both natives of Ayrshire, Scotland. Mr. Hutchison received his early education in Montreal and continued his studies at the Cobourg Collegiate Institute and Ottawa Collegiate Institute. In 1863, he entered the office of Dr. F. Laughlin, Ottawa, where he commenced the study of dentistry. He afterwards studied with Dr. Leggo, of Ottawa. In 1866, he commenced to practise in Ottawa, where he has since remained. In 1870, upon the enactment of the dental law, he passed his examinations entitling him to the degree of L.D.S. He has gradually extended his practice from his commencement until, to-day, he has control of one of the most extensive and lucrative connections in the city of Ottawa, and also stands in the front rank of his profession. Since the organization of Bank Street Presbyterian Church, twenty-eight years ago, he has been one of its most active members. He is also one of the most enthusiastic members of St. Andrew's Society, Ottawa, and in 1894 and 1895, was honored with the office of president of his society. He has also been an active curler for over thirty years, and belongs to a family of curlers, having four brothers who are experts at this sport. The Hutchison brothers are well known in curling circles all over America, and notwithstanding the fact that our subject had the misfortune to lose one of his limbs at the Gavazzi riot in Montreal, in 1853, this does not detract in any degree from his success. He has also been skip for his club for over twenty years. In May, 1872, Mr. Hutchison was married to Miss Agnes Faulkner, of Winchester, Ont. His family consists of two sons and one daughter; his eldest son being a dentist, is at present practising with his father and giving promise of an eminently successful career.

C. H. WITTHUN, Lumber Dealer and Manufacturer, Hepworth, Ont., was born in 1859, in Mecklenburg, Strelitz, Germany. His parents were Charles and Johanna (Schultz) Witthun. He was educated in Germany. Came to Canada when fifteen years of age, and located in Hamilton, for about a year and a half, and then went to Hanover and entered the employ of D. & P. Knetchtel, lumber and furniture manufacturers, with whom he remained several years. In 1885, he started in business for himself, as above indicated. Since then, his business has increased ten-fold, and now his markets cover largely Ontario, Quebec and the Eastern States. He operates two mills, one at Hepworth and the other at Shallow Lake. He belongs to the A. F. & A. M., and I.O.O.F. He is a member of the Council of Keppel. He was appointed J. P. by the Ontario Government, in 1889. In religion, Mr. Witthun is a Baptist, and in politics, a Liberal. He was married, in 1889, to Miss Jessie Kelso, of Keppel, by whom he has two daughters. Mr. Witthun is a learned and well-informed man.

C. H. WITTHUN.

EDWARD BRIGHAM.

EDWARD BRIGHAM, Wood and Timber Merchant, Hepworth, Ont., was born in 1858, in the city of Hamilton, Ont. His parents were William and Mary (Grafton) Brigham. He was educated in the public schools, but his education was limited, as he has had to provide for himself ever since he was eleven years of age. For a short time, he was engaged in the lumber business at Spanish River, Owen Sound and other places. In 1886, he began business, on his own account, in Hepworth; since then it has increased four-fold, and is still growing, the annual volume being about $50,000. He handles all kinds of wood, cedarposts, piling, ties, blocking, etc. His markets include London, Hamilton, Brantford, Galt, Guelph, Stratford, etc. In the latter city, he owns an excellent coal and wood yard. In religion, Mr. Brigham is an Episcopalian, and in politics, a staunch Conservative. In 1879, Mr. Edward Brigham was married to Miss Mary Driffill, daughter of William Driffill, formerly of Lincolnshire, Eng. He has a family of three children: two sons and one daughter.

THE LATE JOSIAH MURPHY.

THE LATE JOSIAH MURPHY, Lumberman and Farmer, Mitchell, Ont., was born in 1841, in Ireland. In 1852, he came to Canada with his parents, Wm. Murphy and Anne Jones, and settled in Perth County. In 1861, when his father died, he became the support and stay of his widowed mother, and the family, earning by his wise counsel and his constant and faithful self-sacrifice, their lasting gratitude. He was especially kind to his brother, J. E., who now in turn avails himself of this opportunity to pay a slight tribute to his noble and generous worth. For a time, after his father's death, in 1861, he followed farming, but afterwards became a noted and successful exporter of stock. These occupations, together with lumbering, required his entire time. His industry, business ability, sterling integrity and generous liberality, brought him universal esteem and respect. In religion, he was an Episcopalian; in politics, a Conservative. He died in 1882, at "Eden Grove Farm," leaving a sacred memory, and a name the synonym of honor.

JAMES EDWARD MURPHY, Lumberman, Hepworth, Ont., was born in 1851, in Ralphglass, County Carlow, Ireland. His parents came to Canada in 1852, settling in Perth County. He worked on the farm till he was thirteen, when he struck out for himself. He learned the printing business in Mitchell, afterwards worked in New York, Albany and Buffalo. In 1873, he began the lumber business in Elma Township, with his brother, the late Josiah Murphy, and after six years, went into business for himself in Logan Township. In 1882, he went to Hepworth, where his business has increased steadily and rapidly, the annual output of his three mills now being about five million feet. Mr. Murphy belongs to the A. F. & A. M., is Deputy Reeve of Amabel, and has been urged to stand for parliamentary honors. In politics, he is a Conservative; in religion, an Episcopalian. He married, in 1879, Ellen, daughter of Wm. Olliver, of Alpena, Mich. His family consists of five sons and one daughter. Mr. Murphy stands high in the estimation of his fellow-townsmen.

JAMES EDWARD MURPHY.

JOHN ADOLPH.

JOHN ADOLPH, Carriage builder, Chesley, Ont., was born in 1843, in Wilmot Township, Waterloo County, Ont. His parents, Henry and Catherine Adolph, came from the Canton of Berne, Switzerland, to Canada, and settled in Wilmot. Mr. Adolph farmed until seventeen, and removed to Chesley in 1860, where he learned the carpenter trade. He helped to clear the forest where Chesley now stands, and bought the first town lot sold there. He was a member of the Municipal Council for years, and of the first School Board, of which he has since been chairman. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, one of the first members of the church in Chesley, for years chairman of the board of managers, and now chairman of the trustee board. In politics, he is a Reformer. Mr. Adolph was married, in 1866, to Margaret, daughter of John Belch, of Brant Township, formerly from the north of Ireland. He has five children : his eldest son, John H., is editor and proprietor of the *Chesley Free Press*, while his daughter, Miss Carrie, is teaching school.

A. S. ELLIOT, J.P., Chesley, Ont., was born in 1807, in Roxburghshire, Scotland. His parents were William and Margaret (Kerr) Elliot. He came to Canada when a lad, and farmed in boyhood and early manhood. In 1829, he married Janet Halliday, by whom he has ten children, seven of whom are living, his second son being John Elliot, banker, Reeve of Chesley (see Vol. I). In 1844, he built saw mills on the Tay, six miles from Perth, Ont. In 1856, he moved west and built mills in Sullivan Township, Grey County, Ont., of which township he was Reeve for years. He afterwards built mills at Chesley. Mr. Elliot has been a man of singular activity, enterprise and integrity. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, having held the office of elder in his church for over sixty years. In politics, he has always been a supporter of the Liberal party. In 1864, he was appointed a J.P., being the first to hold that position in Chesley. Mr. Elliot began life without a dollar, but has succeeded in amassing large properties, and was able to retire with a competence.

A. S. ELLIOT.

REV. JOHN GARNER, Hanover, Ont., was born in 1823 in Patrington, Yorkshire, Eng. His father was the late Rev. John Garner, first missionary secretary of the primitive Methodist Church, London, Eng., whose brothers, William and James were well-known theological authors. His mother, Mary Garner, was an educated lady of much mental and moral power. He was educated in Lincoln Boarding School, converted at sixteen, and at once began to preach. He entered the regular ministry of the Primitive Church in 1844. He was stationed in London (twice), Isle of Wight, St. Alban's and Saffron Waldon. He came to Canada in 1848. He has been pastor at Walsingham, Guelph, Reach (twice) Bowmanville, Etobicoke (twice), Markham, Scarboro, Laskay, Bolton and Rosemont, retiring in 1881. A successful pastor, he was honored with the highest offices in his church, which he filled with dignity and ability. Firmness, moderation and charity, characterize his utterances ; he is a man of striking originality, of firm convictions and is a forcible speaker.

REV. JOHN GARNER.

REV. S. H. McNEEL, B. A.

REV. S. H. McNEEL, B. A., Associate Presbyterian Minister, Chesley, Ont., was born in 1853, in Iberia, Morrow County, Ohio. His father was the late Rev. Samuel G. McNeel, professor of theology in the Associate Theological Hall, Pittsburg, Indiana, and his mother was Jane Hindman, both natives of Pennsylvania. Mr. McNeel was educated at McCorkle College, Bloomfield, Ohio, from which he graduated in 1876. He then took a theological course at the Associate Theological Hall, Pittsburg, Ind. He was licensed to preach in 1880, and ordained in 1881. His first charge was at Unity, Butler County, Penn., where he remained nine years. In 1890, he came to Canada, and was inducted into his present charge. June 23rd, 1876, he married Miss Margaret J. Atchison, of Muskingum, Ohio, by whom he has three sons and two daughters. Mr. McNeel, is a staunch temperance advocate, a natural student, and very popular. He is also a successful pastor. Mr. McNeel is the editor and publisher of the Associate Presbyterian Magazine, and an able writer.

HON. JABEZ B. SNOWBALL, Senator, Timber and General Merchant and Manufacturer, Chatham, N. B., was born in 1837, at Lunenburg, N. S. His parents were Rev. John and Sarah Ann Snowball, natives of Yorkshire, England. The former was a minister of the Methodist Church, and widely known for his piety and zeal in his work. Mr. Snowball received his education at Sackville Academy and College, New Brunswick. He has been engaged in mercantile business as above stated for a number of years, in which he has been very successful, and is now the leading lumber merchant, millowner and general merchant on the North Shore of New Brunswick. He was inspector of Savings Bank at Chatham, N. B., before Confederation, and has also been President of St. George's Society, Chatham. In politics, Mr. Snowball is an Independant. He was elected a member of the House of Commons for Northumberland County in 1878, but retired when his term expired in 1882. He was appointed to the Senate in 1891. In religion, he is a Methodist. Mr. Snowball was married to Margaret E., daughter of Rev. Robert Archibald, New Monkland, Scotland. His family consists of seven children.

AMASA EMERSON KILLAM, M.P.P., Moncton, N.B., was born August 25th, 1834. His parents were natives of New Brunswick. His paternal grandfather was an officer in the British army, and served during the American War of Independence, afterwards settling at Sackville, N.B. Mr. Killam was educated at the public schools of N.B. He held the position of postmaster of Wheaton settlement, Salisbury, for some years, and completed the Albert Railway and managed it for some years; was afterwards manager of the St. Martin's and Upham Railway. In 1884, he bought the Elgin, Petitcodiac and Havelock Railway, from Petitcodiac to Elgin, and in 1885, built the extension to Havelock, and became managing director. In 1886, he took an interest in building the Central Railway, and was managing director of the same, also of the Buctouche and Moncton Railway. He is now director of the Albert Southern Railway. In politics, Mr. Killam is a Liberal; he was first elected to the N. B. Legislature in 1878, again returned in 1883, 1886 and 1892. He was married twice: first, in 1857, to Miss M. Wheaton, then to Mrs. M. Hallett. He has seven children.

WILLIAM EAGER, Cheese Manufacturer, Morrisburg, Ont., was born November 13th, 1843, at Hickston, Ont. His parents were James Eager and Mary Raymond. Mr. Eager received his education at Hickston, and the High School, Iroquois. In 1875, he commenced the manufacture of cheese, and to-day does a most extensive business, controlling thirty factories. His cheese scored the highest number of points at the World's Fair, in 1893. He has been president of the Eastern Dairymen's Association, and town councillor. During the Fenian Raid of 1870, he was Second Lieutenant in a company of volunteers stationed at Fort Wellington, Prescott, Ont. He is an Anglican, also belongs to the A.O.U.W., Royal Arcanum and Select Knights. He married twice, and has two daughters.

WM. McDONALD, Editor and Proprietor of the *Enterprise*, Chesley, Ont., was born in 1862, in Elderslie, Bruce County, Ont. His parents were John McDonald and Amanda Hunter. He was educated at the Walkerton High School, Owen Sound Collegiate Institute, Toronto Normal School, and the Stratford Business College. In 1880, he entered the teaching profession, in which he has since continued. In 1891, Mr. McDonald became connected with the *Enterprise*, which he now conducts in addition to his professional duties. The paper is now one of the best in the county. Mr. McDonald is a member of the I.O.O.F. and A.O.U.W. In politics, he is a Liberal; in religion, a Methodist, and holds a high position in his Sunday School. Mr. McDonald married, in 1892, Eva, daughter of Rev. W. Moss, Chesley.

REV. FATHER WILLIAM JOSEPH MIHAN, Amherst, Cumberland County, N.S., was born in Halifax, N.S., November 22nd, 1845. He is the son of Thomas Mihan, merchant, and Mary Isles. His father was a native of Dublin, Ireland, and his mother of Halifax. Father Mihan received his early education at St. Mary's College, Halifax, and his theological training at the Grand Seminary, Montreal, graduating from there in 1868. May 23rd of the same year, he was ordained by Archbishop Connolly, at the Cathedral, Halifax, and was appointed to take charge of Prospect, N.S., remaining there for one year, after which he removed to Parrsboro', remaining two years, then at Truro, three years, then St. Ann's Ellbrook, Yarmouth County, and Weymouth, after which he removed to Amherst.

SAMUEL EDWARD FREEMAN, J.P., Merchant, Joggin Mines, Cumberland County, N.S., was born at Amherst, N.S., January 4th, 1831. His parents were Jas. Freeman and Amelia M. Baker, natives of Nova Scotia. Mr. Freeman received his early education at the schools of Amherst, and completed his studies at Horton Academy, Wolfville, N.S., graduating in 1849. He then engaged in mercantile business in Amherst, where he continued ten years, when he removed to Maccan, N.S., where he carried on an extensive lumber, mercantile and mining business for twenty years, when he removed to Joggin Mines. He received the appointment of J.P. in 1878. He married, October 8th, 1878, Ruth E. Oulton, of Westmoreland Point, N.B. He is a Baptist. In politics, he is a Liberal. He is also a Free Mason.

EDWARD M. BILL, B.A., L.L.B., Judge of Probate for the District of Shelburne, Barrister-at-Law, was born in 1869, at Billtown, Kings County, N. S. His parents were William C. Bill and Arabella A. Bill. The former was a member of Parliament for three successive terms, and was well known in his province. His paternal grandfather, was also a senator. Judge Bill was educated at Acadia College, Wolfville, N. S., and at Dalhousie Law School, Halifax. He was admitted to the Bar, and shortly afterwards, February 1894, was appointed Judge of Probate. He has already succeeded in working up a large practice and is a member of the Masonic Order. In religion, he is a Baptist. He married Maude, eldest daughter of Dr. Allen Haley, of Windsor, N. S. His family consists of one daughter.

JOHN GEORGE PYKE, Liverpool, N.S., was born March 11th, 1847, at Nassau, New Providence, Bahama Islands. His parents were Robt. J. and Anne Victoria Pyke, the former being the grandson of John George Pyke, who, for years, represented Halifax in the Provincial Legislature, and was the first Provincial Grand Master of Free Masons. Mr. Pyke was educated in Brooklyn, N. Y., and in Nova Scotia. He studied law in Kentville, with the late S. H. Moore, Q. C., Judge of Probate. Was admitted to the Bar, July 23rd, 1874. He removed to Liverpool in 1875, and entered partnership with G. Thos. Moore, Q.C., until 1892, since which time he has practised alone. He is a prominent member of the Church of England, and a staunch Conservative. He married, June 29th, 1892, Maria, daughter of A. Campbell, Weymouth, N.S.

JOHN A. McGOWAN, Shipbuilder and Shipowner, Shelburne, N. S., was born May 31st, 1846, at that place. His father was John A. McGowan, while his mother was Mary Ann Deinstadt, both now deceased. Mr. McGowan was educated in the public schools of Shelburne. For the past twenty years, he has been a shipbuilder and owner, and engaged in the fishing business. He is also a member of the Masonic Order and Foresters. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England, and in politics, a Conservative. Having lived at Shelburne all his life time, he is well known and respected by all. Mr. McGowan was married May 23rd, 1876, to Miss Elizabeth Archibald, daughter of Thomas Archibald, of Halifax, N. S. His family consists of four children: three sons and one daughter.

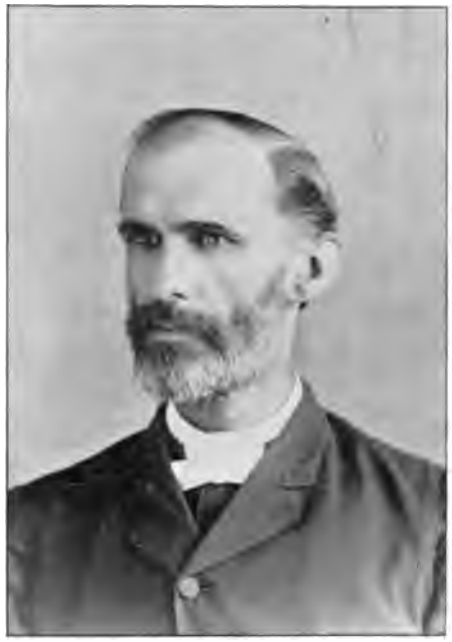
REV. T. H. WHITE, D. D., Rector of Christ Church, Shelburne, N. S., was born March 22nd, 1806, in that place. His parents were Capt. Gideon and Deborah (Whitworth) White. His parents were married in 1787, and had a family of nine children, eight of whom are deceased. Dr. White was educated at King's College, Windsor, N. S., and was ordained deacon, at Halifax, in 1829, and priest in 1830, at Windsor, by Bishop Inglis. In 1829, he was located at Antigonish, where he remained six years, then came to his present church. Dr. White is the oldest in years, and in orders of the Episcopal Clergy in the Dominion. He was married, in 1831, to Miss Cornelia Ann Ogden, of Antigonish, N. S. His family consists of one son and one daughter, the former being Nathaniel Whitworth White, M. P. and Q. C.

J. ALEXANDER ARMSTRONG, L.D.S., D.D.S., Ottawa, Ontario, was born in the Township of March, Carleton County, Ontario, November 26th, 1862. His parents were Thomas and Jane (Beatty) Armstrong, the former of Scotch, and the latter of Irish descent. His father spent some time in the gold fields of California and Australia, where he accumulated a considerable fortune. Dr. Armstrong received his early education in the common schools, and Ottawa Collegiate Institute, from which he obtained a second-class certificate in 1885. He then spent two years teaching school in Carleton County. In 1888, he commenced the study of dentistry, entering the office of Dr. Stackhouse, of Ottawa, where he spent some two and a half years; at the same time, in the winter months, attending the Dental College, Toronto from which he graduated in March, 1890, with the degree of L.D.S. In April of the same year, he obtained, from Toronto University, the degree of D.D.S. He at once commenced to practise his profession in the city of Ottawa, in partnership with Dr. Ira Bower, which partnership lasted until December, 1893, when it was dissolved. Dr. Armstrong then secured the interest of Dr. Bower, and continued the business which has since grown to be one of large proportions, yielding handsome returns. Dr. Armstrong has now one of the best practices in his profession in the capital, and is building up for himself a reputation for artistic workmanship, second to none in the province. In politics, he is a supporter of the Conservative party, though taking no active part, preferring to devote all his energies to his profession. In religion, the Doctor is an Episcopalian, holding the office of sidesman in St. John's Church, Ottawa. He is also secretary of Doric Masonic Lodge No. 58, I.O.F., A.O.U.W. and the Macabees. November 11th, 1890, he married Miss Ida G. Spittal, daughter of Robert Spittal, Esq., of the Customs Department, Ottawa. His family consists of two sons.

ALFRED E. LUSSIER, B.A., Barrister and Solicitor, Ottawa, was born, at Glens Falls, Warren County, N.Y., U.S.A., September 10th, 1865. He is of French parentage, and came to Canada with his parents when but nine years of age. Mr. Lussier received a sound classical education at Ottawa University. He graduated with the degree of B.A., taking second place in the competition for Pope's Medal, in 1886. He then began the study of law in the office of Messrs. Scott, MacTavish & MacCraken, Ottawa, afterwards continuing his studies in the office of Mr. M. J. Gorman, and finally with Messrs. Pinhey, Christie & Christie. During his three years' course, Mr. Lussier had a brilliant record, capturing the third scholarship in the first intermediate, and first scholarship in the second intermediate, while on his final, he took the very creditable stand of third, as solicitor, and fifth on barrister. September 2nd, 1889, he was admitted to practise, and located in the present desirable quarters which he still occupies. From the beginning, Mr. Lussier was senior member of the firm of Lussier & Routhier, until the death of the latter, December 23rd, 1889, since which time he has practised alone, and has drawn around him a large and influential clientelle. As counsel or pleader, he is strong and prudent, and always gains the confidence and respect of his clients. In civil, commercial or criminal law, Mr. Lussier is thoroughly conversant, and has few equals at his age as a general practitioner, having handled with great ability and credit many difficult cases. He is popular with the members of his profession as well as with the public generally. He was married, in 1886, to Hermine A. Demers. He is a joint corresponding secretary for the Alumni Association of the College of Ottawa, also an active and prominent member of the Foresters, Capital Court No. 203. Having an unblemished character and profound legal learning, Mr. Lussier is an ornament to the Canadian Bar, as well as to the city where he has established himself.

A. B. TAYLOR, M.B., M.D., M.C.P.S.O., Hanover, Ont., was born in 1852, in Yarmouth, Elgin County, Ont. His father is Gilbert Taylor. His mother's maiden name was Isabella Wilkie. Dr. Taylor was educated at the public schools, and at the St. Thomas Grammar School, after which he taught school for some time, and then entered Trinity Medical College, Toronto, from which he graduated in 1876. He was, for one year, Assistant House Surgeon in the Toronto General Hospital. In 1877, he located in Allenford, where he worked up a large practice. In 1894, the Doctor removed to Hanover. He belongs to the A. F. & A. M., in which he is worshipful master, also the I.O.F., in which he is physician. In politics, a Liberal, and has declined parliamentary honors. He is a Presbyterian, and has held high offices in that church. Dr. Taylor is a hard student, and has been very successful as specialist in chest and lung troubles. He takes a great interest in encouraging the raising of standard-bred horses, of which he is an experienced judge.

A. B. TAYLOR.



REV. T. J. SNOWDON.

REV. T. J. SNOWDON, Ph., B., Methodist Minister, Kirkton, Ont., was born in 1845, in the city of York, England. His father was the late Thomas Snowdon, many years a local preacher in the Methodist body. He emigrated to Canada with his parents in 1850, settling in Tecumseth. He was educated in the public school, obtained a first-class teacher's certificate, and taught school five years, chiefly in Simcoe County. He was converted under Rev. Matthew Swann, entered the ministry in 1872, ordained in 1876. His charges have been Penetanguishene, Osprey, Dundalk, Elmira, Ripley, Hanover, and his present appointment, Kirkton. Mr. Snowdon was married, in 1876, to Miss E. Scarlett, daughter of the late Lieutenant Scarlett, of the Irish constabulary. Their family consists of one daughter. In 1894, after a four years' course of study, he received the degree of Ph. B. from Bloomington University, Ill. He has been a studious, successful and painstaking pastor, all his circuits prospering under his constant and paternal care.

HECTOR F. McDOUGALL.

HECTOR F. McDOUGALL, M.P., Merchant, Grand Narrows, N.S., was born June 6th, 1848, at Christmas Island, C.B. His parents were Malcolm and Mary McDougall. Mr. McDougall received his education at the schools of his birth place. From 1860 to 1875, he assisted his father in business, when he became senior partner of the firm of McDougall & Macneil, in which he still continues. This firm carry on a large business as general merchants, and are also proprietors of the Grand Narrows Hotel, a popular Summer resort. Mr. McDougall was elected to the Local Legislature of Nova Scotia in 1878, in the interest of the Conservative party, but resigned his seat, in 1882, to contest the County of Cape Breton for the House of Commons, in which he was unsuccessful, but was elected in 1884, and re-elected in 1887 and 1891. He has also held various municipal offices in Cape Breton. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. Mr. McDougall was married, in September, 1875, to Christina Cameron, daughter of Allan Cameron, Esq., of Lower South River, Antigonish.

WILLIAM BLAKEMORE, Mining and Consulting Engineer, Glace Bay, N.S., Assistant General Manager and Mining Engineer to the Dominion Coal Company, Limited, was born March 28th, 1854, in Wolverhampton, Eng. His father was William Blakemore, a well-known mining engineer. Mr. Blakemore was educated at Wolverhampton Grammar School, subsequently took certificates at Cambridge examinations. He was afterwards mining and consulting engineer with general practice in South Wales and the Midlands. First president of the National Association of Colliery Managers in South Staffordshire, secretary to the Board of Examiners for Mining Certificates, member of the Federated Institute of Mining Engineers, etc., etc. Since coming to Canada, he has occupied the responsible position at Glace Bay, as above indicated. Mr. Blakemore was married, in 1874, to Agnes, daughter of Joseph Jenks, Esq., Wolverhampton. His family consists of six daughters and two sons, the latter occupying responsible positions in the Province of Nova Scotia.

WILLIAM BLAKEMORE.

F. O. PETTERSON, Merchant Tailor, Chatham, New Brunswick, was born May 9th, 1850, in Sweden. His parents were P. and Carolina Petterson. Mr. Petterson was educated at the public schools of his native country. He, however, decided to try his fortune in the New World, and on coming to Canada, located at Chatham, N.B., where, in 1874, he began business on his own account as merchant tailor, and he is now doing a large and prosperous trade. He is well up in all branches of his business, shows, in his purchases, his complete knowledge of the requirements of the public, buys his goods in the largest and best assorted markets, and is thus able to successfully cater to the public taste. Mr. Petterson is a member of the Masonic fraternity, the I.O.O.F., I.O.F., Sons of Temperance, and the Young Men's Christian Association. In politics, he is a Liberal. In religion, he is a member of the Methodist Church, and holds the office of recording steward, in connection with the church in Chatham. Mr. Petterson was married, in 1877, to Miss M. J. Christie, daughter of Alexander Christie, Esq. His family consists of three children : two daughters and one son.

GEORGE COX, Mayor of Ottawa, (1894), was born, in Montreal, November 17th, 1834. His parents were James and Mary Ann (Pugh) Cox. His father was for years sergeant-major in the old 24th Regiment of Foot, and afterwards, for many years, was in the Bank of Montreal, Ottawa, and latterly, manager of the Cornwall branch of that bank. He died in 1872. Mr. Cox received his education in private and High schools of Montreal. He has, for many years, carried on business as engraver and lithographer, in Ottawa, where he has become well and favorably known, as shown by his election to the high and honorable position of mayor, by over five hundred majority, against two other candidates. Mr. Cox is a prominent member of the Masonic Order, also of the I.O.O.F. He served his city as alderman for ten years, during part of which time he held the position of chairman of Board of Health, and chairman of Property and Water Works committees. In politics, he is a Conservative, and for the past five years, president of the Ottawa Liberal-Conservative Association. Mr. Cox is a Methodist. He married twice, and is now (1894) a widower. His family consists of five children.

REV. GEO. EMERSON STURGIS, M. D., Pubnico Harbor, N.S., was born at Danville, Maine, November 30th, 1839. His parents were Nathaniel G. and Betsey A. Sturgis, natives of that state. Dr. Sturgis received his early education at the schools of his native town, and continued his studies at the Lewiston Falls Academy, and the Maine State Seminary. He then entered the Eclectic Medical College, Philadelphia, graduating M.D., May 14th, 1862, with first-class honors. After practising a short time at Cape Elizabeth, Me., he removed to Walton, N.S., where he remained twenty years, earning the esteem of his fellow townsmen. He then practised, for a time, in Halifax and Washington Territory, after which he returned to Nova Scotia and practised at Clark's Harbor, removing thence to Pubnico Harbor. The Doctor is an ordained minister of the Free Baptist Church, having been ordained in May, 1875. He has been married twice: first, to Lucinda P. Mann, of Cape Elizabeth, Me., and second, to Annie Tomlinson, of Walton, N.S. His family consists of six children.

REV. GEO. EMERSON STURGIS.

JOHN J. R. CHURCH.

JOHN JAMES RUGGLES CHURCH, M.D., C.M., Aylmer, Que., was born at Arnprior, Ont., in 1859. His father was a well-known medical man, and a native of Aylmer. Dr. Church was educated at the Berthier Grammar School, Cornell and McGill Universities, graduating from the latter M.D., C.M., with highest honors, in 1885. He began to practise in Aylmer the same year, and has become widely known as a most skillful surgeon. He is a member of the Board of Health of the State of Illinois, the Masonic Order, I.O.F., C.O.F., the Clinical Society of Ottawa and the McGill Graduate Society. He is also ex-warden of the Church of England at Aylmer, and has always given his professional services, free to clergymen. He is also a member of the Municipal Council, and has taken a prominent part in educational matters. He was appointed High School examiner by the Quebec Government, in 1890. Dr. Church was married, in 1889, to Mary Eliza Belle, daughter of the late R. H. Klock, a representative lumber merchant of the Ottawa Valley.

ROBERT J. DAVIDSON.

ROBERT J. DAVIDSON, Alderman, Ottawa, Ont., was born October 10th, 1860, in that city. His parents were Robert and Catherine (Grant) Davidson. At the age of fourteen, he left school, and after working at the building trade for 18 months, entered into business with his step-father, Robt. Thackray, as sash and door manufacturers. He continued in this line until December, 1893, and on his retirement was presented with a handsome gold watch and a complimentary address. He is the youngest member of the City Council, and is on the Waterworks, Markets, License and Street Railway committees. He was also the only newly elected alderman to be honored with a chairmanship in his first year, being made chairman of License Committee. He is also a member of the I. O. O. F., and takes an interest in temperance work. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, in politics an Independent. Mr. Davidson was married to Catherine, eldest daughter of Jno. D. Hanson, Hull, Que. He is at present devoting some time to travel and municipal matters.

REV. JOHN GRENFELL, Pastor of the Carleton Place Methodist Church, was born November 28th, 1845, in Sancreed, Cornwall, Eng. His parents were Thomas and Phyllis (Trembath) Grenfell. Mr. Grenfell was educated and prepared for the ministry at St. Just, and came to Canada with letters of recommendation from prominent Wesleyan ministers in England, to the Rev. Dr. Punshon, then president of the Wesleyan Conference. He entered the Ministry in 1868, and after a four years' theological course, was ordained by Dr. Punshon. His first pastoral charge after ordination, was Stanstead, where he assisted Rev. Dr. Hansford in building Stanstead College, since which time he spent eighteen years in the Eastern Townships, and in 1890, was stationed at North Gower, afterwards removing to Athens, from whence he came to his present charge. Mr. Grenfell was married, in December, 1873, to Miss M. E. (Lizzie), daughter of the late Col. Geo. Brown, of Milton, treasurer of Halton County. Mrs. Grenfell died in 1891, leaving three daughters, Carrie P., Mary E. (Lizzie) and Marion M.

REV. JOHN GRENFELL.

REV. H. McMEEKIN, M. A., Professor of Rhetoric and Elocution, Normal School and College of Music and Oratory, Ottawa, was born near Antrim, Ireland, in 1831. His parents were John and Rachel (Scott) McMeekin. He first studied under Rev. John Carley, Antrim, after which he attended the Royal Academical Institution, Belfast. At the age of fifteen, he entered the Royal College. While attending this and the Assembly's College, he took high honors, very notably in sacred rhetoric and elocution. He taught elocution at Knox College, Toronto, and there in 1854, was licensed to preach. He afterwards preached at Berlin, and taught the Grammar School, and in 1856 was ordained at Pembroke, where he was also County Inspector of schools. Visiting Ireland, he was called to Magherahamlet, and labored there eleven years. He was appointed by the Irish General Assembly, deputy to the general assemblies of the United States and Canada in 1874. He founded Erskine Church, Ottawa, and subsequently his fields of labor were Lancaster, Wenona, Mechanicsville, Red Cloud and Council Bluffs, covering twelve years. He then returned to Ottawa, and has since devoted his unabated energies to teaching. He recently delivered twelve lectures against modern Scepticism, which were eulogized by the Ottawa press. Prof. McMeekin is one of the finest english and classical scholars of the day. As a master of the principles of elocution and rhetoric, he has few equals on the American continent. He is also possessed of oratorical gifts of a high order. During his ministerial career of forty years, on various historical occasions, in the United States, Canada and in Europe, he has pronounced orations that for purity of style, depth of thought and impassioned eloquence, are not surpassed in Canadian literature. His rules on inflection of the voice have been printed by the Ontario Government for circulation among the teachers of the Province, and have been of great service in the schools.

JOHN CHRISTIE, of Osgoode Hall, Barrister-at-Law, Ottawa, Ont., was born in 1847, in the city where he now resides. He is a son of Alexander Christie and Susan Strachan. On both sides of the house, he is descended from Scotch families. His father was a son of Dr. Alex. J. Christie, of Aberdeenshire, Scotland, who was the eldest son of the Very Rev. Dean Christie, of Fyvie, Scotland. Mr. Christie was educated at the Ottawa Grammar School, and also in the city of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where he pursued his studies for several years. He took up civil engineering, at which he afterwards practised in Philadelphia. He returned to Canada in 1876, and in the same year, started on a tour through Europe with his only brother, A. J. Christie, Q.C. After visiting the chief places of interest in the various countries of the continent, he came back to Ottawa and commenced the study of law in the office of his brother, with whom he formed a partnership upon the completion of his studies. This partnership continued until the death of Mr. A. J. Christie, in February, 1893. He then formed a partnership with Mr. G. M. Greene, and Mr. W. Greene, under the firm name of Christie, Greene & Greene, who are the successors of the law firm originally started by the late John Bower Lewis, in 1845, which afterwards became Harvey & Lewis, then Lewis & Piney, then Piney, Christie & Hill, then Piney, Christie & Christie, then Christie & Christie, and finally Christie, Greene & Greene. This latter firm, of which our subject, Mr. Christie, is the senior member, is now one of the most important in the city of Ottawa, having earned the respect and good will of the members of the Bar as well as the confidence of the public, and they have a large clientelle, with an extensive and select practice. In politics, Mr. Christie is a staunch supporter of the Conservative party, and is always actively at work in their interests during election campaigns. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England.

MALCOLM S. MACDONALD, M.D., C.M., (McGill), Marbleton, Que., was born May 31st, 1866, in Compton County, Que. His father was the Rev. John Macdonald, M.A., a native of Scotland, and his mother was Marion McLean, of the Isle of Lewis, Scotland. Our subject was educated at Scotstown public schools and Morrin College, Quebec, while he graduated M.D., C.M., from McGill University, in 1890. He then began to practise at Scotstown, where he remained three years, when he removed to Marbleton. He stands high as a skillful practitioner, and it is generally believed that, with his ability and learning, there is a bright future before him in the medical world. Dr. Macdonald is a member of the I.O.F., C.O.F. and R. T. of T., and has always been prominent in temperance matters and other moral reform.

ANDREW BARTER, Carriage Manufacturer, Marbleton, Que., was born March 30th, 1865, at Robinson, Que. His parents are Henry Barter, one of the pioneers of the Township of Bury, and Jane (Ellis) Barter. Mr. Barter received his education at his birth place, and then entered the carriage factory of Thos. Stocks, a well-known carriage-builder. He mastered the business in this establishment, and then removed to Marbleton, and began to manufacture carriages on his own account, at the same time dealing extensively in farm implements. In 1893, he abandoned the latter, owing to the pressure of the carriage trade. He is now known as one of the most successful men of the town, and is doubtless destined to belong to the front ranks of the Eastern Townships men. In religion, he is an Episcopalian.

PIERRE GUEVREMONT, Sheriff of the District of Richelieu, Sorel, Que., was born July 24th, 1843, in the Parish of Isle du Pas. His father was Pierre Guevremont, and his mother Rose Ursule Fafard, dit Joinville. He received his education at Joliette, afterwards entered the office of the late John G. Crelassa, notary. In 1869, he completed his course, and was admitted to practise, and at once opened an office in Sorel, where he continued until 1872, when he received his present appointment, which he has filled with great satisfaction. He was also secretary of the Parish of St. Pierre of Sorel for about ten years. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, also a member of the I.O.F. He is a man of strong personality, and stands high in the esteem of the citizens of Sorel, who recognize him to be a man of sterling qualities.

PIERRE LETENDRE, Yamaska, Que., was born in 1836, at St. Michel de Yamaska, Que. After having pursued a commercial course at Sorel, he began a general trade, and barge building in his native town, successfully completing many important contracts in this line, amongst which may be mentioned the Montreal harbor. He has held important municipal positions, in his district, such as Mayor and Reeve, which he filled with great acceptance. Mr. Letendre was married, in 1866, to R. Delima Beaupré. His family consists of four children. In politics, he is a Liberal, and has often been pressed to stand for parliamentary honors. Mr. Letendre is, in every sense of the word, a self-made man, and is considered one of the shrewdest and wealthiest business men on the south shore of the St. Lawrence.

JOHN BOSTWICK, County Seignior, of the Seigniory of Lanoraie, Berthier County, Que., was born at Three Rivers, Que., July 23rd, 1831. His father was the late Augustus Bostwick, Q.C., one of the most famous members of the Quebec Bar, while his mother was Miss Georgina Cuthbert. Mr. Bostwick was educated under a private tutor. He was married, October 24th, 1860, to Miss Elizabeth Lloyd Merrick, youngest daughter of William Merrick, of Cork, Ireland. His family consists of two children living, and one deceased. Since their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Bostwick have lived a very quiet and retired life, the greater part of their time having been spent at their seigneurial home "The Manor," Lanoraie, but since 1890, they have resided in Berthier, Que., where they are very highly respected by all.

LIEUT.-COL. JAS. WM. HANSON, at present Acting Agent for the seignories of Berthier, Du Sable and Maskinongé, was born October 11th, 1829, at Fort George, Niagara, Ont. He was educated privately by Rev. G. M. Ross, M.A., at Drummondville, and at the Montreal High School. In 1854, he was one of the organizers of the Montreal Rifle Rangers, and in 1860, had the honor of commanding the guard of honor to His Royal Highness, Prince of Wales. In 1862, he was appointed Brigade Major of No. 5 District. He served, during the Fenian Raid of 1866, as Brigade Major, and in 1869, was ordered to take charge of the 6th Brigade. He also served in the Fenian Raid of 1870. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. He was married, in 1855, to Georgianna, daughter of the late A. D. Bostwick, Q.C., Three Rivers.

LAURENT U. A. GENEST, Barrister, Three Rivers, Que., was born in 1828, at Gentilly, Que. His father was Laurent Genest, notary public. He was educated at Nicolet College, and at the death of his father, in 1846, succeeded him as agent for the seigniory of Gentilly, until 1851, when he began his legal studies in Montreal where, in 1853, he was admitted to the Bar. In 1853, he was commissioned a Lieutenant in the 9th Battalion of the Militia of Montreal; in 1856, appointed Clerk of the Peace for Three Rivers, and in 1857, a commissioner to administer official oaths in Lower Canada. He is a member of the Historical Society of Montreal, etc., etc. He was first president of the School of Arts and Manufactures, and of the Temperance League of Three Rivers. (See *Rose's Cyclopædia of Can. Biography*, p. 405.)

PIERRE ALPHONSE BOUDREAULT, Advocate, Three Rivers, Que., was born at Nicolet, Que., May 20th, 1837. His parents were the late Pierre Boudreault and Adélaïde Beauchemin. He received his classical training at Nicolet College, then studied law, and admitted to the Bar May 2nd, 1864. He has occupied all the honorary positions of the Bar, from that of examiner to staffman. Was appointed substitute for Attorney-General in 1875, and conducted several important cases before the Criminal Assizes, and Court of Appeal and Revision. He was created Q.C. in 1893. He has held important positions in the civil service. Mr. Boudreault married, August 18th, 1866, Eugénie, daughter of the late J. B. Pothier, Esq. He has been alderman for many years, and president and vice-president of St-Jean-Bapt. Society.

JOHN ROBERTS ALLAN, Druggist and Chemist, Ottawa, Ont., was born in 1867, at Balderson, Lanark County, Ont. He is a son of James F. Allan and Catherine Montgomery. Mr. Allan received his education at the public schools of Lanark County, Perth and Ottawa Collegiate institutes. He afterwards served three years in the pharmaceutical business with the late John Roberts. In 1889, he entered the College of Pharmacy, Toronto, graduating in 1890, carrying off a gold medal for proficiency in Materia Medica. He then continued with Mr. Roberts until his death in 1892, when he succeeded to his business, which he has since successfully conducted. Mr. Allan has been an extensive traveller, having made an almost complete tour of the continent of Europe, with the exception of Russia and Spain. He has also travelled extensively on the american continent and the Island of Bermuda. In religion, Mr. Allan is a Presbyterian; in politics, a Conservative. He is also a member of St. Andrew's Society. He was married, in November 1891, to Marion, daughter of J. M. Taylor, Esq., of Ottawa. He has established a chair of Botany in Queen's College, Kingston.

REV. JAMES CHARLES DUNN, P.P., Richmond, Ont., was born at Hawkesbury, Ont., December 28th, 1860. His father was John Dunn, while his mother's maiden name was Ann McCormick, natives of Hawkesbury. Father Dunn began his education in the public school of Hawkesbury. He took his classical course in the College of Ste. Thérèse, Que., and his theological course in Ottawa University. He is essentially a self-made man, having commenced life as a clerk, and served in that capacity between his public school and college courses. He was ordained priest at Hawkesbury, April 20th, 1890, by Archbishop Duhamel, of Ottawa, and was first stationed at Almonte, in connection with the Very Rev. Canon Foley. He removed to his present charge, July 26th, 1890. His field of labor extends over the townships of Goulbourn, Marlborough, and North Gower. He has been energetic in promoting the interests of his present parish, and has been largely instrumental in improving its condition. His present parish is an historic place, having been named after the Duke of Richmond, one of the governors general of Canada, who died at Richmond, and afterwards was buried in England.

REV. GORHAM A. GIFFORD, M.A., Ph.D., Methodist Minister, Wingham, Ont., was born in the County of Durham, Ont., in 1848, and is of U. E. Loyalist descent. After being ordained to the ministry, Dr. Gifford very acceptably filled various appointments before taking charge of the work at Wingham. He is purely a self-made man, having come into prominence by his own efforts. A student by nature, a voluminous reader and a close observer, having a fine personal presence, a splendid, well-trained voice, and great skill in the use of illustration and word painting, he is, though comparatively a young man, beginning to be recognized as one of the most eloquent pulpit and platform orators in the denomination to which he belongs. His lecture on the "Mammoth Cave," is his finest effort, and gives full scope to his remarkable powers of oratory. He is an avowed enemy of all kinds of oppression and wrong, and the friend of all those to whom life is a struggle, and considers that his highest ambition is realized, when he succeeds in helping men to be good.

REV. GORHAM A. GIFFORD.

REV. JAMES HAMILTON.

REV. JAMES HAMILTON, Baptist Minister, Wingham, Ont., was born in 1853, in Hillsburg, Wellington County, Ont. His parents were James and Annie (Tarzwell) Hamilton, now deceased. Mr. Hamilton received his early education at the public schools, after which he farmed until he was sixteen years of age, when he learned the trade of carriage builder, at which he worked several years. After deciding to enter the ministry of the Baptist Church, he entered McMaster University, Toronto, and graduated from that institution in 1890. He was ordained, May, 1890, at Cheltenham, Ont., where he labored successfully four years, when he accepted a call to Wingham, May, 1894. His success lies chiefly in personal contact, and his great influence with the young. He is also a staunch temperance advocate, liberal in his views, and has broad sympathies. Mr. Hamilton was married, in 1877, to Letitia, daughter of Andrew Nodwell, Esq., of Wellington County, Ont. In politics, he is a Reformer. Rev. James Hamilton is also a member of the A. F. & A M.

DR. MARCUS DODD.

DR. MARCUS DODD, Bridgeport, Cape Breton, was born June 19th, 1845, at Sydney, Cape Breton. His father was the Honorable Edmund Murray Dodd, while his mother was Caroline Maria Dodd, the former being at one time Judge of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, and well known throughout that province for his ability and impartiality in conducting all cases which came before him. Dr. Dodd received his education at Mount Allison Academy, Sackville, N.B., Acadia College, Wolfville, N.S., and graduated in medicine from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, in 1866. Since that time, he has practised his profession at the International Mines, Bridgeport, and during this long term, has built up a good practice and a high reputation for his professional skill. In religion, the Doctor is a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and in politics, a Conservative. Dr. Marcus Dodd was married, in 1873, to Miss Sarah C. Rigby, daughter of Charles H. Rigby, Esq. His family consists of three children: two daughters and one son.

REV. WILLIAM JAMES LOCKYER, L.S.T., Rector of the Parish of St. Paul's, Port Morien, Cape Breton, was born July 3rd, 1857, at Trinity, Newfoundland. His parents were George and Mary Lockyer, natives of Trinity, but of English descent. Mr. Lockyer was educated at the Church of England, and Commercial schools of Trinity, also at King's College, Windsor, N.S. He learned the trade of cordwainer, after which he carried on business in the same line for two years. He was ordained deacon, May 20th, 1883, and priest in June of the following year. He was then curate of the Mission of Glace Bay one year, when he was appointed rector of the newly created Parish of St. Paul's, Port Morien. He is also a member of the Masonic Order and Grand Division Sons of Temperance, holding the offices of Master of Morien Masonic Lodge, and Worthy Patriarch S. O. T. In politics, Mr. Lockyer is a Liberal. Rev. William James Lockyer was married, September 2nd, 1884, to Elizabeth M. White, daughter of Dr. Robert and Caroline White, of Trinity, Newfoundland.

REV. W. J. LOCKYER.

ELIAS SAMUEL ORR, Registrar, Compton County, Cookshire, Que., was born July 11th, 1829, at Lachute, Que. He was educated at Lachute public school, and when twenty-five, began business in St. Andrews, Que., where he remained six years, when he removed to Sawyerville, and continued as general merchant until 1869, when he received the appointment of Registrar of Compton County. In religion, Mr. Orr is a Methodist, and has held the offices of local preacher, S. S. Superintendent, Steward, etc. He is also prominent as a temperance worker. Mr. Orr was married, September 9th, 1856, to Jane C., daughter of John D. White, of Montreal. His family consists of one son and one daughter living; the former is A. E. Orr, M.D., a well-known physician of Montreal, and the latter Florence L., is an accomplished artist.

JOHN McINTOSH, Ex-M. P. P., Sheriff, Sherbrooke, Que., was born in the county of Laprairie, Que., October 16th, 1841. In the year 1860, moved to the Eastern Townships. After some time spent at farming in 1887, he connected himself with the Canadian Meat and Produce Company, and four years later engaged in shipping cattle to Great Britain, on his own account, until 1886, when he was elected a member of the Provincial Legislature in the interest of the Conservative party for Compton County. He was again returned for the same constituency in 1890. In 1891, he accepted a seat in the DeBoucherville Cabinet, and at the General Election of the following year was elected by acclamation. He resigned his position as Cabinet Minister, and was appointed to his present position July 26th, 1894.

REV. THÉODULE NEPVEU, Parish Priest, Huntingdon, Que., was born December 25th, 1863, at St. Scholastique, Que. He was educated at Ste. Thérèse College, where after eight years, he graduated in Arts. He spent the three following years in the same institution, teaching and studying theology. In 1886, he entered the Grand Seminary, Montreal, and prepared for Holy Orders. He was ordained March 26th, 1887, and appointed to Huntingdon, as vicar. He was soon removed to Mile End, remaining until 1888, when he was appointed vicar at Ste. Cunégonde. After being there three and a half years, he was appointed parish priest of Huntingdon. Since this appointment, father Nepveu has almost extinguished the debt on St. Joseph's Church, and has purchased a new cemetery, which was consecrated in 1893.

THE VERY REV. JOSEPH O. ROUTHIER, Vicar General of Ottawa, was born November 1st, 1836, at St. Placide, Two Mountains County, Que. He is a son of Chas. Routhier, Esq., of that place, who was an old veteran of the War of 1812. Our subject belongs to a family of note and distinction, one of his brothers being the celebrated Judge Routhier, of Quebec. He was educated at Ste. Thérèse College, and was ordained priest May 21st, 1864, and director of Ste. Thérèse College. In 1875, he became parish priest of L'Orignal, Prescott County, and in 1881, after manifesting great ability in church matters, he was appointed vicar general, which office he has since filled. He was administrator of the diocese in 1882, also in 1888. In 1890, he accompanied His Grace the Archbishop to Rome, and was appointed Prothonotary Apostolic.

ABRAM L. LANCE, Editor and Proprietor of the *Richmond Times*, *Danville Times* and *Windsor Times*, Richmond, Que., was born in 1857, in N.Y. State. He was educated at the High School of Plattsburg, N.Y. In 1878, he came to Canada and founded the *Bedford Times*, which he edited until 1885, when he published the *Missisquoi Record*, Stanbridge East. In 1886, he purchased the *Richmond Times*, since which time the circulation and influence of the paper has rapidly increased, until it is now one of the most enterprising and popular papers in the province. In politics, Mr. Lance is a Liberal, and it is needless to say that his party's interests are well-looked after in the columns of the *Times*. He was married, January 16th, 1878, to Miss May L. Smith, of Swanton, Vt. His family consists of seven children.

JOSEPH MATHIAS TELLIER, L.L.L., M.P.P., Joliette, Que., was born January 15th, 1861, in Joliette County, Que. His parents were Zéphirin Tellier and Luce Ferland. He was educated at the Joliette College. He then went into the office of his brother Louis Tellier, now a Judge of the Superior Court for St. Hyacinthe, after which he attended Laval University, taking his diploma in 1884, and graduating as L.L.L. *summa cum laude*, winning the Governor General's gold medal. He was admitted to the Bar in July, 1884, and began practice in Joliette, and has built up an extensive business. He is a Conservative, and in 1892, was elected to the Local Legislature. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. Mr. J. Tellier was married, September, 1885, to Miss Maria Desilets, daughter of J. O. Desilets, prothonotary.

JOHN H. SULLIVAN, C.E., Land Surveyor and Mayor of Valleyfield, Que., was born September 15th, 1835. His parents were Owen and Mary Sullivan. Educated in the city of Quebec, he completed his studies at Laval University, where he attended lectures in civil engineering, geology, etc. Graduated C.E. in 1861, and followed his profession in different parts of Quebec, taking charge of the Cadastre offices, Beauharnois, in 1874, in which capacity he served until the same was completed. He then removed to Valleyfield, where he has for four years held the office of Mayor, being twice elected by acclamation. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics, a Conservative. In 1868, he married Miss Kelly, of Quebec, who died in 1880, and in 1881, he married Miss Daigneau, of Beauharnois.

REV. FRANK DAVEY, River Hebert, Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, was born at Twincham, Sussex, England, May 16th, 1860. His parents were Henry Davey and Catherine Holman. Mr. Davey received his early education at Lucton House school, Henfield, and finished at Lansing Academy, Sussex. He came to Canada in 1885. After spending a short time at Brantford, Ont., he entered the Congregational Theological College, Montreal, graduating in 1888. He was then ordained at Alton, Ont., and had charge of the church there two years. He then removed to Nova Scotia, entering the Presbyterian denomination, and in 1893, was appointed to the charge of River Hebert. He married, in 1888, Louisa M., daughter of J. B. Ball, Esq., of Portsmouth, Eng. His family consists of three children.

JOHN HANNA, Mayor of Wingham, Ont., is an example of what an energetic man may accomplish in Canada. Born in the County Down, Ireland, in 1835, he received his early education there, and came to Canada at the age of sixteen, settling in Huron County. For a time he followed farming, but his tastes lay in other directions, and after being successfully engaged in other important enterprises, he began dealing in general merchandise. In 1880, he moved to Wingham, starting a general store, which is now doing the chief business of the town. He was first elected a member of the School Board, subsequently Councillor, Reeve, and finally, in 1894, Mayor, a position which he ably fills. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and also a valued member of the Wingham Conservative Association. When twenty-five years of age, he married Mary, daughter of George Young, Esq., Colborne, by whom he has five children. Outside of his business, Mr. Hanna has found time to build a number of fine residences, and is now one of the largest property holders in the town.

JOHN HANNA.

ROBERT HALLIDAY.

ROBERT HALLIDAY, senior member of the firm of Halliday & Co., merchants, Chesley, Ont., was born, in 1847, near Perth, Lanark County, Ont. His parents are James Halliday and Janet Allan, the former of Scottish birth, the latter of Scottish descent. Mr. Halliday was educated at the public schools of his native county. He entered commercial life at the age of twenty-four, in Chesley, in partnership with his brother James. The business grew rapidly, and to-day it is one of the leading mercantile establishments in Chesley. Mr. Halliday is a Presbyterian in religion, and a Conservative in politics. He has often been pressed to enter municipal life, but the pressure of his large business prevented his accepting the honour. He belongs to the A. O. U. W., in which order he is financier. In 1883, Mr. Halliday was married to Miss Caroline Phillips, London, daughter of William Phillips, who resides in Brantford. His family consists of six children. Mr. Halliday commands universal respect. He is a man of sterling integrity and much public spirit.

EDMUND J. JOHNSTONE.

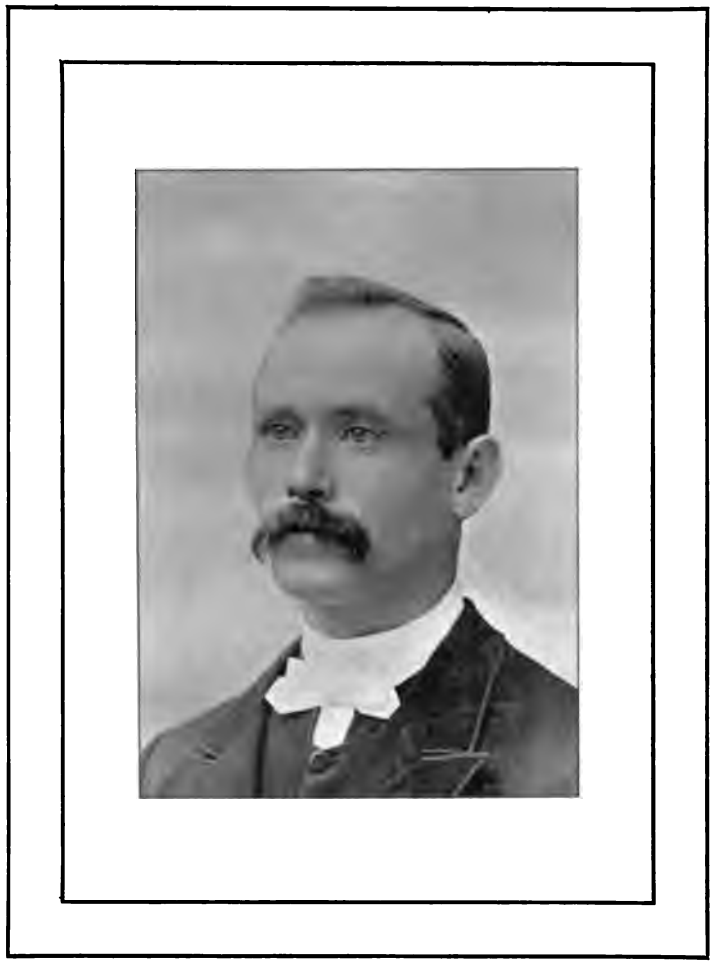
EDMUND JAMES JOHNSTONE, M. D., Victoria Mines, N. S., was born October 20th, 1858, at Sydney, C.B. His father was the late Dr. Lewis Johnstone, of Sydney Mines, whose son Dr. Lewis W. Johnstone, succeeded to his practice at that point. His mother was Emily Mary, daughter of the late Judge Dodd, of Sydney. After receiving his early education, Dr. Johnstone entered Sackville University, where he remained four years, then two years in Halifax Medical School, two years at Bellevue Hospital Medical College, N.Y., where he graduated in May, 1882. He also studied for eight months in Guy's Hospital, London, and while in London, was appointed resident physician of Victoria Mines, C.B., the duties of which office he still continues to discharge with general satisfaction. He is also a member of the Cape Breton and Nova Scotia Medical societies, a member of the Masonic Order, and in politics, is a Conservative. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. Dr. Johnstone was married to Miss Caroline, daughter of M. J. Kavanagh, Esq., of St. Peter's, C.B.

ARTHUR S. KENDALL, M.D., M.R.C.S., practising Physician and Surgeon, Sydney, C.B., was born there March 25th, 1861. His father was the Rev. S. F. Kendall, and his mother was Emily Kendall. Dr. Kendall was educated at Mount Allison College, Sackville, N.B., and took his medical course at Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, from which he graduated in 1882. He afterwards attended Guy's Hospital, London, Eng., where he took the membership of Royal College of Surgeons in 1884, after which he located in Sydney, where he has a large practice. His natural ability and professional attainments place him in the front rank of his chosen calling, and he is widely known in his community as a skillful practitioner. Dr. Kendall is a member of the Masonic fraternity, Cape Breton Medical Society, Nova Scotia Medical Society, and member of the Provincial Board of Health. In politics, he is a Liberal. Dr. Arthur S. Kendall was married to Miss Mary Crawley, daughter of Rev. Arthur Crawley, Sydney, C.B. His family consists of three children : one son and two daughters.

ARTHUR S. KENDALL.

DUNCAN McCORMICK, B.C.L., Q.C., of the firm of McCormick & Claxton, Montreal, was born October 23rd, 1844, in Beauharnois County, Que. His father, Archibald McCormick, a native of Argyleshire, Scotland, came to Canada in 1819, locating in the County of Chateauguay, near the Block House, where the battle between Col. de Salaberry and Gen. Wilkinson was fought in 1812. His mother's name was Mary McCuaig, also a native of Argyleshire. Mr. McCormick received his early education at the Parish schools. He then took his classical course at McGill College, Montreal, where he received his B. C. L. In 1872, he commenced the study of law in Montreal, under the late Sir John Rose, T. W. Ritchie, Q. C., and J. L. Morris, Q. C., and was admitted to the Bar in 1876. He was then in partnership with Hon. J. S. Archibald, Judge of the Superior Court until 1887, after which he was senior member of the firm of McCormick, Duclos & Murchison, until 1892. From 1892 to 1893, he practised alone, but his business having assumed such large proportions, he was compelled to call in a partner, and formed his present connection with A. G. Claxton, B. A., B. C. L. In 1891, Mr. McCormick was a candidate for the Commons, against Julius Scriver, the present member for Huntingdon, who has been a member for nearly thirty years. In that contest, the largest number of votes ever polled in the county was taken, and Mr. McCormick was defeated by a small majority. He has, in many campaigns, been one of the most active speakers in the interest of the Conservative party in his province. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, being one of the managers of Mellville Church, Cote St. Antoine. He is also a member in high standing of the A. O. U. W., Royal Arcanum, Fraternal Mystic Circle, etc., etc. June 24th, 1875, Mr. McCormick was married to Susan Gertrude, daughter of Columbus Smith, Esq., in his day the leading millwright of the Province of Quebec. His family consists of one son.

WILLIAM BAYARD, M. D., (Edinburgh), St. John, N. B., was born in Kentville, N. S., August 21st, 1814. His ancestors were Huguenots, who were driven from France, and landed in New Amsterdam, (now New York), in 1647. Robert Bayard, the father of our subject, was a lieutenant in the British Army, but left the army and graduated in Medicine at the University of Edinburgh in 1809, and was also a D. C. L. of Windsor College, N. S. When twelve years of age, Dr. Wm. Bayard was sent to a popular educational institution, conducted by the Rev. Wm. Powell, at Fordham, N. Y., where he remained five years. He then entered as a private student with Dr. V. Mott, of New York, at the same time attending lectures at the college there. He took high honors for proficiency in Anatomy, and the next year matriculated at the University of Edinburgh, receiving the degree of M. D. in 1837. He visited the hospitals of France and Germany, and returned to St. John and practised with his father. He has since, frequently visited the Hospitals of England, France and Germany. From the first, Dr. Bayard has had brilliant success, and has been honored alike by the medical fraternity and his fellow citizens. The General Public Hospital of St. John, owes its existence to his efforts. He has been president of the Board of Commissioners since its establishment in 1860, is chairman of the Provincial Board of Health, was for 28 years chairman of St. John Board and is president of the Dominion Medical Association. He was elected president of the Council of Physicians and Surgeons of New Brunswick in 1881, but resigned in 1885. His address to the Medical Society upon the use and abuse of alcoholic drinks, and his lecture at the Mechanics' Institute, St. John, upon the progress of medicine, surgery and hygiene, during the last hundred years, have received high commendation. In religion, he is an Episcopalian; in politics, a Conservative. His wife was Susan Maria Wilson, of Chamcook, who died in 1876.



REV. WILLIAM WALKER, Pastor of the Baptist Church, Teeswater, Ont., was born in Lanarkshire, Scotland, October 13th, 1856. He received his education at the Carluke Academy, Lanarkshire, Scotland. After six years of successful Christian service, he came to this country in September, 1886. He received and accepted a call from the Baptist Church, Brigden, Ont., and entered upon his labors on the 19th of that month. In 1887, he was ordained to the ministry of the regular Baptist Church. In 1888, he accepted the unanimous call of the Salford and Mount Elgin churches, where, for four years and eight months, he labored with much acceptance. In 1893, at the request of the Home Mission Board and the unanimous call of the Teeswater Church, he entered upon his labors, as pastor of this church. He is a successful minister of the Gospel, an able preacher and a devoted pastor. He was married, April 14th, 1882, to Agnes second daughter of W. McFarlane, Ayrshire, Scotland.

HENRY DE LA MATTER, B.A., Principal of the Wiarton High School, was born in 1840, in Pelham, Ont. His parents were Captain Martin de la Matter and Mary Vanderburg. He was educated in the public schools of the County of Welland, and Toronto University, graduating in 1870. He was a pupil of the Hon. Horace Mann, president of Antioch College, O., from which institution he afterwards graduated. He was then principal of Fonthill High School seven years, and principal and classical master in Owen Sound High School for fourteen years. He also taught in Williamsville Classical Institute, N. Y. State, for two years. In 1892, he received his present appointment. His *forte* is classics and mathematics. Six of his pupils are now principals. $3,500 in scholarships have been won by his pupils, some of which have been won in the most famous universities. In 1867, Mr. de la Matter married Maria Blackburn, of Pelham, Ont. His family consists of six daughters living, and one son deceased.

G. A. ARMAND, Proprietor of Armand House, Montreal, and Vice President of the Hotel Keepers' Association, was born, October 30th, 1853, in that city. His parents were Geo. Armand and Ursule St. Jean. Mr. Armand received his education in Montreal. He then learned the trade of machinist, which occupation he followed for seventeen years. After spending some years in the United States, he returned to Canada in 1881, and began business for himself, which he has since continued. Mr. Armand is a member of the I. O. F., of which he was treasurer for one year, also a member of the C.O.F., St. Mary's Court. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. Mr. Armand has been married twice: first, to Miss Cordelia Girard, January 4, 1881; and second, to Miss Adeline Lebeau, Aug. 2, 1884. He has five children.

F. C. BLANCHARD, Barrister, Shelburne, N. S., was born, July 29th, 1855, at Kentville, N. S. He is the son of John Blanchard, and the late Mary Gertrude Blanchard. He was educated in Halifax, and studied law with the late Hon. G. A. Blanchard, Judge of the County Court. In 1877, he removed to Shelburne, and has since practised his profession there with Hon. N. W. White, Q. C., under the firm name of White & Blanchard. In addition to their large practice, they represent the Boston Board of Underwriters, and do a large life and fire insurance business. Mr. Blanchard, in religion, is a Presbyterian; in politics, a Conservative. He was married to Miss E. E. Kelley, daughter of W. T. Kelley, master mariner. Mr. Blanchard is Revising Officer for Shelburne County, agent for Lloyds, etc.

JOSEPH S. MORTON, M. D., B. A., Shelburne, N. S., was born, November 10th, 1852, at New Glasgow, Pictou County, N. S. His parents were William and Agnes (Smith) Morton. Dr. Morton was educated at the High School, New Glasgow, Pictou Academy, and graduated from Dalhousie University in 1876. He took his medical course, and graduated from Bowdoin College in 1882, and from the University of New York in 1883. Since that time, he has practised his profession in Shelburne, and built up a large business. He is a member of the Nova Scotia Medical Society, also of the Foresters. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and treasurer of his church. He was married to Miss Martha E. Boyd, daughter of John Boyd, Esq., of Philadelphia, Pa. His family consists of one son and one daughter.

THE LATE PATRICK DEVINE, Renfrew, Ont., was born, November 17th, 1831, in County Sligo, Ireland. He came to Canada in 1847. He went into mercantile business with his brother, the late Felix Devine, and in 1872, started on his own account, and became very successful. In religion, Mr. Devine was a devout Catholic. He was the Conservative candidate for the Local House at two elections. He died March 24th, 1894. The *Renfrew Journal* in speaking of Mr. Devine, among other things, said: "He was a man who possessed a large fund of genial good humor, and his jocular disposition and readiness at repartee, made him a very entertaining and social gentleman. This, coupled with a politeness of manner, which was practised at all times and places, command the respect and esteem of all who knew him.

E. R. GAREAU, Real Estate Agent, Montreal, was born there, February 15th, 1856. He is the son of Chas. Gareau, formerly wholesale clothier of Montreal. Mr. Gareau received a first-class practical education, and in 1878, visited the principal cities of France, England and Italy. On his return to Montreal, he went into business with his father, who carried on an extensive trade in Montreal with a branch house at Winnipeg. In 1888, he retired from this business, opening a real estate office, and soon gained the confidence of the public. By close attention to business, he has become one of the leading Real Estate agents of Montreal. He is a member of the St. Jean-Baptiste Society, the Montreal Real Estate Exchange, Chambre de Commerce, Montreal, French Canadian Artizans Society, and the I. O. F.

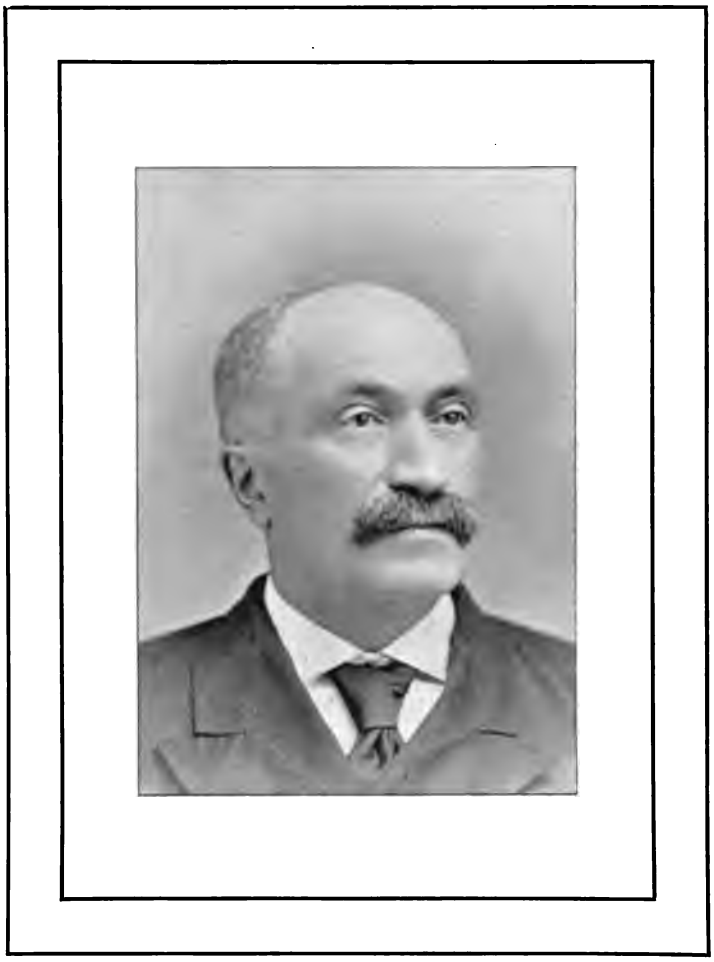
P. LECLERC, Jr., Steamfitter, Montreal, was born at Verchères, Que., September 8th, 1872. His father's name is P. Leclerc, alderman for St. Jean-Baptiste Ward, and now retired, while his mother's maiden name was Alphonsine Pepin. Mr. Leclerc received his education at the schools of Quebec Province. He afterwards learned the trade of plumber, and early in 1894, started business for himself, in partnership with J. Lamarche, and they are already working up a good trade. Mr. Leclerc is a member of the Montreal Master Plumbers' Association, also of the Catholic Order of Foresters, Court 222, of which he is treasurer, and St. Joseph Society. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. Mr. Leclerc was married to Odile Legault, daughter of T. Legault, Pointe Claire, Que. His family consists of one son, living.

WM. E. JENKINS, M. D., C. M., Liverpool, N. S., was born March 9th, 1862, at Bridgewater, N. S. His parents are R. J. Jenkins and Abagail (Hebb) Jenkins. Dr. Jenkins was educated at Lunenburg and Pictou Academies, also McGill University, Montreal, where he graduated in 1890. He stood well in his classes and at his final examinations, and gave promise of the success that has since attended him. He then practised his profession at Mahone Bay, N.S., two years, when he removed to Liverpool, where he has succeeded in building up a large and important medical connection, and making many friends socially as well as from a professional point of view. In religion, Dr. Jenkins is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Liberal. He is also a member of the Nova Scotia Medical Society.

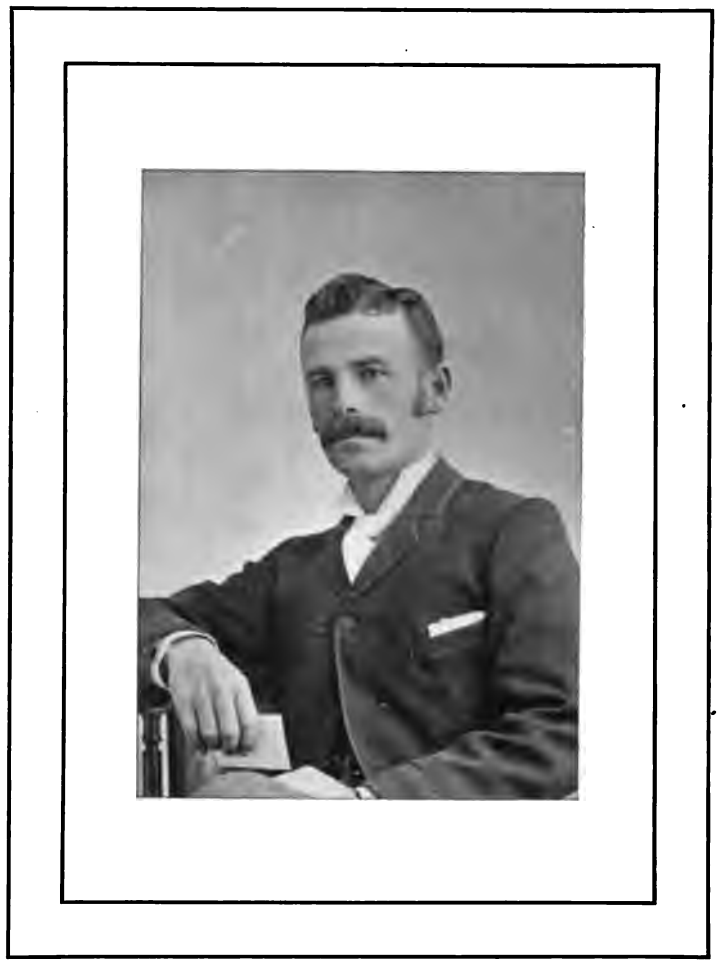
GILBERT A. SMITH, M. D., Liverpool, N. S., was born at Caledonia, N. S., October 28th, 1848. His parents were Stephen and Abagail Smith. Dr. Smith was educated in the common schools, Acadia College, Dalhousie College, University of Halifax and the Bowdoin University of Brunswick, Me. He was a diligent student, always stood well in his classes, and passed his final examinations with much credit to himself and his professors. After completing his medical course, he settled in Liverpool, in 1882, where he has succeeded in working up a highly satisfactory connection and becoming popular with all classes. In politics, he is a Liberal, and is also a member of the Masonic Order. Dr. Smith was married, in February, 1884, to Miss Louise Hayden, daughter of Samuel Hayden, Esq., of Shelburne, N. S.

BENJAMIN SULTE, Ottawa, was born at Three Rivers, Que., September 17th, 1841. Mr. Sulte left the Friars' School at the age of ten years, and engaged as clerk in a dry goods establishment, and then in a grocery store. Afterwards he became bookkeeper for G. A. Gouin & Co., lumbermen, and subsequently purser on a vessel. He was afterwards a merchant, selling clothing in connection with the building of the Three Rivers and Arthabaska Railway, then again as bookkeeper at Gouin's. Prior to this, however, he had made a name for himself, as a writer for the press. In 1863, Mr. Sulte joined No. 1 Company of Infantry, and in 1865, went to the Niagara frontier with his company, where he was color-sergeant. On his return, he went to the Military School, Quebec, and in February, 1866, was again at the Missisquoi frontier. In July of that year, he became chief editor of *Le Canada*. In November, 1867, he entered the service of the House of Commons, as translator, and in May, 1870, was removed to the Department of Militia and Defence, where he has remained ever since. He has taken a very active part in the following societies: Cercle Littéraire, Three Rivers, Cercle Artistique et Littéraire, of Bruxelles, Belgium, Société St. Jean-Baptiste, and Institut Canadien-Français, Ottawa. In 1875, he became a member of the Literary and Historical Society, Quebec; in 1876, a corresponding member of Société Normande de Géographie, Rouen, France; in 1877, president of St. Joseph section, Société St. Jean-Baptiste, Ottawa, president of St. Thomas Benevolent Society, Ottawa, a member of the Société Historique de Montréal, and State Historical Society of Wisconsin; in 1879, a corresponding delegate to Institution Ethnographique de France; in 1882, a member of the Royal Society of Canada; in 1883, president St. Jean-Baptiste of Ottawa, and in 1885, he was made president of the first section of the Royal Society of Canada. May 3rd, 1871, he married Augustine, daughter of Etienne Parent, under Secretary of State.

MAJOR ROBERT STEWART, General Merchant, Inverness, Que., was born at that place in 1831. His father was James Stewart, a native of Arron, Scotland, and a tailor by trade, who emigrated to this country in the year 1831, locating in the township of Inverness, which at that time was nothing but a forest. About twelve years previous to the date of his arrival in this country, he married Miss Mary Cook, by whom he has had nine children, five sons and four daughters. Mr. Stewart died in 1874, at the advanced age of 88 years, his wife having preceeded him twenty-seven years. Our subject was educated under the tutorship of Messrs. D. D. Campbell and James Hood, who taught private night schools in his native township. His advantages of obtaining a schooling were small, however, for he was obliged to abandon his studies at a very early age. After leaving school he followed farming successfully for eleven years on his own account, when he sold out, and removed to the United States, and worked in a large cotton factory for one year. He then returned to Inverness, and with his brother, set up in business under the firm name of R. & D. Stewart, carrying on business as general merchants. This partnership lasted for seven years, when it was dissolved by mutual consent, the latter retiring from business and the former continuing in his own name. The trade has largely increased since that time, and Mr. Stewart is now one of the soundest and most successful business men in the county. He has held various municipal and school offices, and in all such public trusts, has discharged his duties to the entire satisfaction of all concerned. In Military affairs, he is prominent, also. He took a first-class certificate from Quebec Military School, in 1871. In 1867, he had organized a company of volunteers, of which he was captain until 1875, when he rose to the rank of major. In 1876, he retired from the Militia, retaining rank. In politics, he is a supporter of the Liberal party.



JOSEPH S. RIVEST, Notary, and Mayor of the town of L'Assomption, Que., was born at St. Sulpice, June 4th, 1843. Mr. Rivest received his education at L'Assomption College. He was then in the office of E. Archambault, notary, L'Assomption, one year, afterwards with J. H. Jobin, Montreal, with whom he studied three years, at the same time attending the Jesuits' College. He was admitted to practice as notary, in 1867, and at once opened an office in Montreal, where he continued three years, when he removed to L'Assomption. In 1885, he was elected a member of the Board of Notaries for Quebec, which position he filled for six years. In 1883, he was appointed a Commissioner for the Superior Court of Quebec, in the district of Joliette, was for several years a member of the Town Council, and was elected mayor by acclamation in 1894. In politics, he is a staunch Liberal; in religion, a Roman Catholic. Mr. Rivest was married, in 1874, to Marie Zénaïde Elodie, daughter of Dr. Séraphim Viger, a prominent physician of L'Assomption.



JOHN C. BOURINOT, Collector of Customs, Port Hawkesbury, Cape Breton, was born July 18th, 1863, at Arichat, C. B. He is the son of Marshall Bourinot, formerly owner of coal mines at Port Morien, Cape Breton, and grandson of the late Senator John Bourinot, of Sydney. Mr. Bourinot received his education at Sydney Academy. He was appointed Collector of Customs for Port Hawkesbury, May 1st, 1886. He is also Registrar and Surveyor of shipping, and editor and proprietor of the *Eastern Journal*. Mr. Bourinot has been very vigilant in discharging his duties as Collector of Customs, having made a large number of seizures for violation of laws. His appointment to this important office, at the age of twenty-two years, shows the nature of his early training and qualifications, and affords a clue to his subsequent success. Mr. Bourinot is an Episcopalian. He married Minnie V. Hunson, daughter of Joseph Hunson, of St. Peter's, Cape Breton, who died July 31st, 1893. His family consists of one son.

REV. M.W. MACLEAN, M. A., Pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Belleville, Ont., was born in Glasgow, Scotland, June 11th, 1842. He was educated at the Church of Scotland Normal School, afterwards taking a full course in Arts, in Glasgow University. While a Divinity student there, he visited relatives in Canada, where he was persuaded to remain. He attended two sessions in the Divinity Hall of Queens' University, Kingston, and one session in the Theological Seminary, at Princeton, N. J., where he graduated in Divinity in the spring of 1866. Returning to Canada in the same year, he was licensed by the Presbytery of Niagara, and was ordained and inducted to the pastoral charge of St. Andrew's Church, Paisley, Ont., August 15th, 1866. His parish here extended over four townships, entailing much hard work. The results were seen in the enlargement of the church and the organization of three flourishing mission stations, two of which became self supporting. In 1871, he went to Port Hope, and two years later, entered upon his present pastorate. Here his congregation has grown steadily in numbers and influence. Mr. Maclean was clerk of the Presbytery of Kingston after his settlement in Belleville, up to the time of the union of the Presbyterian churches in the Dominion. He is a member of the Board of Trustees of Queen's University, and of the General Assembly's Home Mission Committee, with the oversight of the Home Mission fields of the Presbytery of Kingston. He was one of the founders of the Belleville Mechanics' Institute and Library Association, of which he has twice been president, and is still a director. He is a member of the City Board of Education, chaplain of the 15th Battalion Argyle Light Infantry, and of several other local associations. Mr. Maclean was married, on September 29th, 1868, to Isabella Elizabeth, daughter of the late Geo. Davidson and Helen Carruthers, of Kingston, Ont. He has a family composed of two sons and one daughter.

PAUL DENYS, Instructor, Ontario Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville, Ont., was born in St. Barthelemy, Que., in 1852. After an academic course at St. Joseph's College, Berthier-en-haut, he was appointed on the teaching staff of the Mile-End School for the Deaf, resigning shortly afterwards on account of ill-health. He then repaired to Chatham, Ont., where he was organist and choir leader of a large church. Whilst in Chatham, he was also French master in Miss Hunter's Young Ladies' Academy. Shortly after this, however, he was offered a position in the Provincial Institution, at Belleville. Mr. Denys is a sincere Roman Catholic, and besides other duties, imparts at stated hours, religious instruction to the children in the establishment, who belong to that faith. He was for some time the efficient organist of St. Michael's Church, Belleville. Mr. Denys has also found time to contribute articles to periodicals published in the interests of the deaf. His sketches on Primitive Conscience, the Moral Training of the Deaf, the Original Language of Man, and School Discipline, together with a brief manual of Canadian History and numberless passing *coups de plume* have merited him not a few encomiums, from various sources. In a paper, presented to the Congress of Instructors of the Deaf, Chicago, July 1893, and entitled *The Ideal Institution Newspaper*, mention having been made of the Canadian mute, the editor of that journal noticed the allusion in most flattering terms. Mr. Denys was twice offered nomination for Parliament for Montcalm County, but declined. In 1878, he visited Europe, for the purpose of witnessing what was being done in other parts for the advancement of his cause, and returned fully satisfied that Canada and America had nothing to envy of the Old World. He recently completed his twentieth year at Belleville, having given the best years of his life to the work, always giving the best of satisfaction during that long period.

ALEXANDER RICHARD STEPHEN, M. D., Collingwood, Ont., was born in Kent, Eng. His parents were Thomas Stephen, and Elizabeth Brickenden, grand daughter of the Earl of Cavan. He first emigrated to the West Indies, remaining four years, after which he located in Sorel, Que., where he resided for four years, when he removed to Ontario. Dr. Stephen began his education in England, continued it in the West Indies and took his M. D., in 1861, at Toronto Medical College. He has also been actively engaged in Military matters, and was made Lieut.-Colonel in 1864, afterwards retiring, retaining rank. He has also occupied many municipal offices, and is politically a Conservative. He was married to Sarah, daughter of Hon. Thomas Park. His family consists of two daughters and five sons.

ROCH MOISE SAMUEL MIGNAULT, M. D., M. P., Practising Physician, Yamaska, Que., was born at Montreal, February 5th, 1837. He is a son of the late L. Moise Mignault, merchant, and Ann Schmidt. He received his elementary education at L'Assomption College. After deciding upon a medical career, he took his course in medicine, at the School of Medicine and Surgery, Montreal, graduating in 1859. He now practises his profession in Yamaska, where he has gained the confidence of the entire community. He has also taken a great interest in municipal matters, and was Warden of the County of Yamaska, Councillor and Mayor of the village of Yamaska, also a Justice of the Peace. In politics, Dr. Mignault is a Reformer, and was elected, March 1891, to the House of Commons, representing Yamaska Co.

FRED. A. LEWIS, Piano Tuner, Arthur, Ont., was born, in 1871, in Arthur, Ont. His father is Harry C. Lewis, of the Bell, Lewis & Yates Coal Mining Company, of Buffalo, N. Y., while his mother's maiden name was Maria J. Buschlen. Mr. Lewis was educated in Arthur, and began to learn the piano tuning with R. S. Williams, of Toronto, with whom he remained two years. He afterwards entered the employ of A. Reid & Sons, of Chicago, the oldest and one of the largest piano firms of that city. In September 1893, he returned to Canada, bearing the highest testimonials as a first-class tuner and workman. His long and thorough factory experience has been of inestimable value to him. He has received the highest testimonials from the firms with which he has been connected, and is destined to have success.

REV. LEIGH RICHMOND SMITH, Rector of Stewiacke, Nova Scotia, was born at Windsor, Hants County, N.S., March 15th, 1839. He is the son of William Smith, ship owner and merchant, and Maria Godfrey. He received his early education under Dr. Benjamin Curran, of Windsor, afterwards entering King's College, Windsor, obtaining first-class honors. He was ordained in June 1876, and took charge of the parish of Beaver Harbor, Halifax County, for sixteen years. In 1892, he received the appointment of Rector of Stewiacke, where he is doing good work and is popular. Mr. Smith was married, in 1865, to Lavinia Mary, daughter of the Rev. Frederick Smallwood, Methodist Minister. His family consists of two sons and two daughters. In politics, Mr. Smith is a Liberal-Conservative.

RIGHT REV. PAUL STANISLAS LAROCQUE, D. D., Bishop of Sherbrooke, Que., was born at Ste. Marie de Monnoir, Rouville County, Que., October 28th, 1846. He received his education at the College of Ste. Thérèse, and the Seminary of St. Hyacinthe. He adopted his sacred calling in September, 1865, and became professor of rhethoric at Ste. Thérèse College. In 1867, he was called to St. Hyacinthe, where he acted as pro-secretary. May 9th, 1869, he was ordained priest, but the following year removed to Florida, remaining until 1880, when he returned to St. Hyacinthe, but soon went to Rome, where he received the degree of Doctor of Theology and Canon Law. In 1884, he returned, and was appointed to the Cathedral of St. Hyacinthe. Consecrated Bishop of Sherbrooke, Nov. 30th, 1893.

REV. D. McDOUGALL, Presbyterian Minister, Baddeck, N. S., was born in Cape Breton, Whycocomah. His parents were Duncan McDougall and Jean (McLean) McDougall. After receiving his elementary education, Mr. McDougall entered Halifax Presbyterian College, from which he graduated. He was ordained November 15th, 1865, by the Presbytery of P. E. I., at New London South. He resigned in June 1867, and was settled in Cow Bay, C. B., 26th February, 1868, where he labored for twelve years. In September, 1879, he removed to West Bay, and remained there for thirteen years. In September, 1892, he removed to Baddeck. Very precious revivals were enjoyed during his ministry at Cow Bay and West Bay. He married, 24th September, 1868, Barbara D. Boak, sister of Hon. Robert Boak, of Halifax.

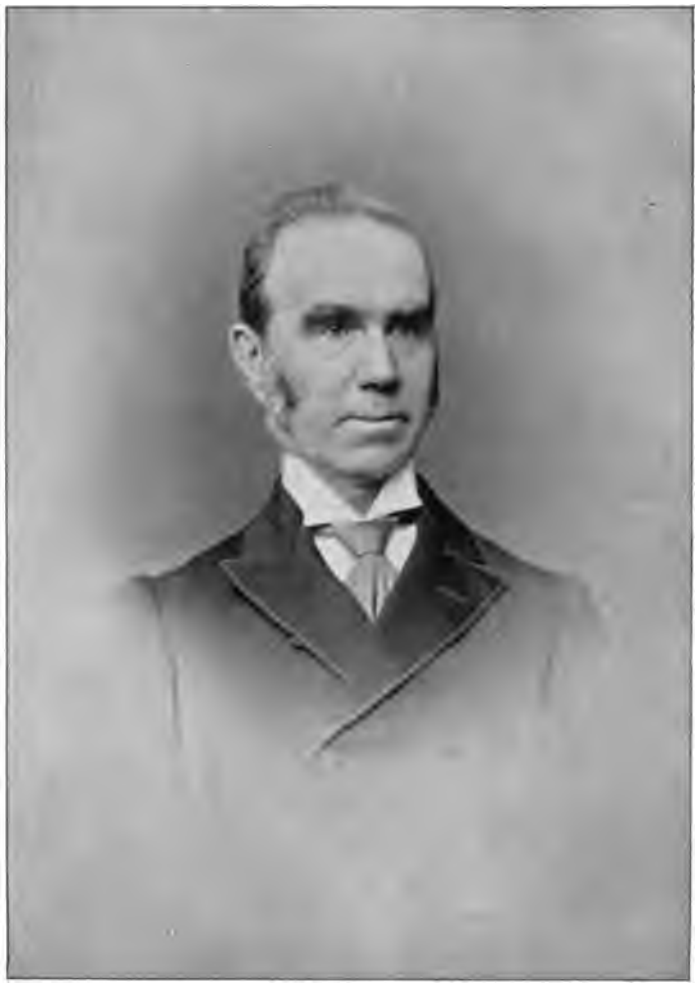
REV. SAMUEL RALPH ASBURY, B. A., B. D., Incumbent of Holy Trinity, Chesley, Ont., was born in 1833, in Hanley, Eng. He was educated in University College, London, graduating B. A. in 1852. The Theological Seminary, Andover, Mass., graduating in 1860. He received the degree of B. D. from Western University, London, Ont., in 1882. He served as missionary in India, at Mirzapore, three years, and on his return to the United States in 1864, was engaged in translating Lange's Bible work on Jeremiah. He was afterwards elected rector of the Church of the Beloved Disciple, Philadelphia. He came to Canada in 1876, and has served the Church of England at Forest, Port Rowan, Aylmer, Durham, Delaware and Chesley. Mr. Asbury has been married twice, and has a family of seven children.

REV. ALEXANDER BEAUSOLEIL, P. P., Casselman, Ont., was born in 1862, at Marieville, Que. His parents were F. X. and Henrietta Beausoleil. Father Beausoleil received his early education at St. Joseph's College, Chambly, afterwards taking his classical course at Ste. Thérèse College, and graduated B. A. from Laval University, in 1884. He then studied theology four years, and was ordained July 1st, 1888, in the Cathedral of Notre-Dame, by His Grace Archbishop Fabre, of Montreal. He was then appointed choir master in the Cathedral of Ottawa, and served in this capacity five years, when, on account of ill health, he requested to be removed to a parish in the country, and was accordingly made parish priest of Casselman, July 1893, where he has a firm hold on the affections of his people.

JOSEPH HENRY SCAMMELL, M. D., Practising Physician and Surgeon, St. John, N. B., was born in St. John, November 22nd, 1870. He is a son of Joseph Henry Scammell and Maria Louise Stevens. His father is a native of St. John, and his mother of the State of Maine. Dr. Scammell received his early education at the Albert School, afterwards attending the St. John Grammar School, from which institution he graduated in 1888. He then commenced the study of medicine, and entered McGill University, Montreal, where he graduated in 1894, with the degrees of M. D., C. M. After graduation, he was appointed Quarantine Medical Officer at McAdam Junction, where he remained three months, the quarantine lasting for that time, during the small-pox in the United States. He then commenced to practise his profession in the city of St. John, and is already working up a good paying connection. Dr. Scammell has taken a front stand in his profession very early in life, and is therefore destined to make his mark in that connection. He is a member of the Y. M. C. A., New Brunswick Medical Association and St. John Medical Society, in all of which he is deeply interested.

STANISLAS DEMERS, Wholesale and Retail Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born, November 5th, 1855, at St. Isidore, Que. His father's name is Olivier Demers, farmer, while his mother's maiden name was E. Goyette. Mr. Demers was educated at L'Assomption College, Que., where he secured a practical training. He began business life as a dry goods clerk, at which he remained four years. During this time, he gained a knowledge of business affairs and also succeeded in accumulating sufficient capital to start business on his own account. In 1878, he established himself in his present quarters, as wholesale and retail Grocer, and has since continued this line with marked success. He was one of the founders of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, has filled the position of president for two terms, and is now honorary secretary of the same, and has earned, in these official positions, the esteem and affection of his colleagues. He is also a member of the Chambre de Commerce, and one of the founders of the Alliance Nationale. In religion, Mr. Demers is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative. He was married, in 1882, to Miss E. Hedge. His family consists of two children.

CLIFTON ASHTON DOUGLAS, Broker, Ottawa, Ont., was born, in 1852, in Belfontaine, Ohio, U. S. A. His father was the late Erskine Douglas, a well-known business man of that part of the country, a cousin of Stephen A. Douglas, and in connection with the latter, stumped Ohio during the campaign of 1860, when he was presidental candidate against Abraham Lincoln. His mother's maiden name was Sophia Garrett, whose father was a large tobacco plantation owner in Kentucky. Mr. Douglas was educated at the public school of his birth place, and at the age of sixteen became interested in railroading, being travelling auditor for three different roads. In 1875, he removed to Canada, and engaged in mining pursuits in the Ottawa Valley. Not finding this profitable, however, he, in 1880, commenced as general broker in Ottawa and has since done a very successful business. Mr. Douglas is manager for two Ottawa Loan companies and managing-director of the Cottage Building Company, and a director and treasurer of the People's Heating and Lighting Gas Company. He is also agent for some of the largest Insurance companies in the world, such as the Queen, and London and Lancashire Fire, New York and Travellers' Life and Reliance Marine, and handles a large business for them. His brokerage and real estate departments are also very prosperous, and he is personally a heavy real estate owner in Ottawa, having done much towards the progress of that city. He is connected with various benevolent institutions, being a director of the Home for the Aged and Protestant Hospital, to both of which he is a liberal contributor. He is also a member and treasurer of the Council of the Board of Trade, a Past Master of Dalhousie Masonic Order, a Charter member of the Ottawa Scottish Rite. In religion, he is a Methodist; in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Douglas was married, in June, 1878, to Anna E. Porter, daughter of the late Andrew Porter, of Ottawa. His family consists of four daughters.



PETER LARMONTH, Accountant, Ottawa, Ont., was born November 15th, 1833, at Lachine, Que. His parents were John H. and Catherine Larmonth. His father took part in the Rebellion of 1837-38, and was an important agriculturist, of Lachine. Mr. Larmonth attended Lachine Grammar School in early life, but is mainly self-educated. In 1851, he entered the grocery business of Cowan & Cross, Montreal, where he remained until 1855, when he superintended the construction of three miles of the Grand Trunk Railway, at St. Michel de Bellechasse, Que. He afterwards served as purser on a steamer plying between Ogdensburg and Montreal, for three years. He then spent a number of years in Montreal, in the grocery business, in partnership with Thos. Blackadder, and in 1865, entered the office of an accountant. From 1872 to 1877, he was partner in the firm of T. Hunton, Son & Larmonth, devoting his time specially to the management of the finances of the business. In 1877, he opened an office in Ottawa, as an accountant, since which time his business has prospered. One hundred and fifty estates have passed through his books, on which he has acted in the capacity of executor, liquidator or assignee. Mr. Larmonth is also a Park Commissioner for Ottawa City, secretary-treasurer of the David Moore Lumber Co., (Ltd.), secretary-treas. of Ottawa Board of Equitable Saving Loan & Building Association, Toronto. In politics, he is a Conservative; in religion, he is a Presbyterian, being an elder in St. Andrew's Church, Ottawa. He was married October 14th, 1869, to Mary, daughter of Samuel Morrison, of the Province of Quebec. His family consists of two children living; his eldest son, John Herbert, is a graduate of McGill University, having graduated as mechanical engineer, in April, 1894, and at present working in the G. T. R. Locomotive Works, Montreal, while his younger son, Norman Gordon, is at present pursuing his course in McGill University, in the faculty of Applied Science.

LÉON LEDUC, ex-M.P.P. for Richelieu County, Sorel, Que., was born December 12th, 1832, at Côte-des-Neiges, Montreal. He was educated at the College of Ste. Thérèse, Que. When eighteen years of age, he went to learn the leather manufacturing business at Oshawa, remaining four years. He then returned to his native place, and began on his own account. In 1861, he removed to Sorel, Que., where he established a large tannery, and now also owns interests in several large boot and shoe manufactories. He was elected by the Conservative party to represent Richelieu County in the Local Legislature, in 1881, was a candidate again in 1886 and 1890, but was unsuccessful. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. In 1860, he married Aglaé Claude, daughter of Mr. Pierre Claude, of Côte-des-Neiges.

STEPHEN P. MURPHY, of the firm of Murphy Bros., Wholesale and Retail Grocers, Montreal, was born there, January 5th, 1857. His father, James Murphy, came to this country about the year 1820, starting in the grocery business, and doing a large trade, until the fire of 1852, when he lost everything, and had to begin life over again. Mr. Murphy was educated in Montreal, where he received a practical training. The firm of Murphy Bros., opposite the G.T.R. Depot, in Montreal, is well-known all over the Dominion. Thousands of travellers have procured lunches there. Mr. Murphy has also an interest in the Great Pacific Tea Co., which is doing, to-day, one of the largest retail trades in Lower Canada. Mr. Murphy attributes his success to strict attention to business, and selling for cash.

CAPT. SIMON JOYCE, M. P. P., Descouse, C. B., was born September 13th, 1848, at that place. His parents were Simon Joyce and Margaret Langlois. He was educated in the Grammar School, Descouse. Early in life, he engaged in sea faring, and continued until he rose to the position of captain, and is now a ship owner. March 15th, 1894, he was elected to the Local House of Nova Scotia for the County of Richmond, in the interests of the Liberal party, and his constituency expects to be proud of his representation. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and belongs to the Society of the Sacred Heart. Mr. Joyce was married, in 1873, to Miss Harriet Boudrot, daughter of Simon Boudrot, Esq., of Descouse. His family consists of four children, one daughter, a nun, in Montreal, and three sons.

J. B. BOURASSA, Montreal, Que., was born at Laprairie, Que., in 1838. His father's name was J. B. Bourassa. Mr. Bourassa received his education at the schools of Laprairie, Que., and Montreal College. After being engaged in various lines for some years, he embarked, thirty-five years ago, in his present business, and now carries on an extensive trade, dealing in all kinds of meats, etc. He is one of the largest dealers in his line, in Montreal, his business being both wholesale and retail. In religion, Mr. Bourassa is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a supporter of the Conservative party, to which he has always belonged. He is also a member of St-Jean-Baptiste Society. Mr. Bourassa was married, in 1860, to Miss Célina Laviolette. His family consists of four children, three daughters and one son.

HON. CHARLES DRURY, Barrie, Ont., Sheriff of Simcoe County, Ont., was born, in 1844, at Crown Hill, Ont. His parents were the late Capt. R. Drury, and Elizabeth Bishop. Mr. Drury was educated at the public and high schools, was Reeve thirteen consecutive years, but retired from municipal life on entering the Cabinet in 1889. He was elected M.P.P. at Bye-Election in 1882, and again at General Election in 1883. He represented, for twelve years, one of the agricultural districts on the council of the Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario, and was its president in 1882. He was appointed Sheriff, June 22nd, 1894. In religion, he is a prominent Methodist, and is also an active temperance worker. Mr. Drury has been married twice, and has a family of three children, one son and two daughters.

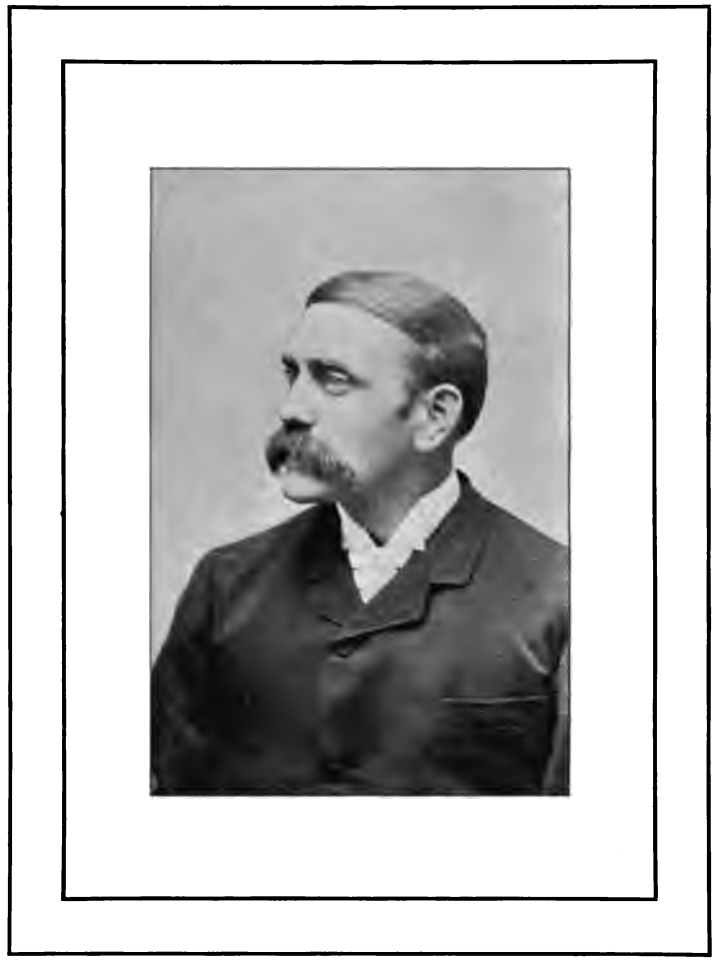
REV. GEORGE SCOTT, Incumbent of St. John's Church, Cookstown, Ont., was born, in 1858, in County Cavan, Ireland. His parents were Francis and Margaret Scott. After receiving his early education, Mr. Scott was prepared in classics by private tuition and attended St. Aiden's College, Birkenhead, England, for three years before he came to Canada. He was ordained deacon, in 1889, by the Bishop of Toronto, and priest in 1890. His first charge was Minden, Ont., for three years, when he was appointed to his present Incumbency, where he is doing a good work. Mr. Scott is an official member of the L. O. L., also belongs to the I. O. O. F., and A. F. & A. M. He is also active in Sabbath School work in connection with his congregation, and is a staunch temperance advocate.

FRANCIS HENRY CHRYSLER, Barrister, Ottawa, was born May 28th, 1849. His father was G. H. Chrysler, while his mother was a daughter of Capt. Jas. MacKenzie, R. N. Mr. Chrysler was educated at Bath Academy, Port Hope Union School, and Queen's College, Kingston, where he graduated B. A., in 1866. He was called to the Bar in 1872, and has since practised in Ottawa, being, at present, senior member of the well-known firm of Chrysler & Lewis. He was created a Q. C. in January, 1890. In politics, he is a Liberal, and was an unsuccessful candidate for the Commons, in 1890. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. He published, in 1875, an edition of the Insolvent Act, jointly with J. D. Edgar, Q.C., M. P. He was president of the Carleton Law Association for two years. In 1876, he married Miss Grant.

MICHAEL DELAHANTY, Grocer and Wine Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born January 16th, 1835, in Killenfinch, within five miles of Nenagh, in County Tipperary, Ireland. He came to Canada in July, 1860. By thrift and economy, in October, 1867, he was in a position to start business on his own account, as retail grocer, and has succeeded in building up a very large and profitable trade. Mr. Delahanty is the compiler of an 8,000 year calendar, which gives the day of the week from the years 1, A.D., to 8,000, A. D., also giving the dates of Easter, from 1801 until 2,018, A.D. In religion, Mr. Delahanty is a Roman Catholic; a Conservative in National politics, but an Independant in Local politics. He was married, in 1870, to Miss Margaret Brouder. His family consists of six children, living.

WM. JAS. CUZNER, Journalist, Ottawa, Ont., was born at Aylmer, Que., and educated at the Academy there. He joined the staff of the *Ottawa Citizen*, in 1872, was city editor for several years, afterwards night editor. In 1880, he founded *The Dispatch*, a staunch Liberal-Conservative organ, and the first english newspaper published in Hull, which he has since edited and published with marked success. He was for several years Canadian correspondent of the *Chicago Times*, and also represented, at the Capital, the *Montreal Star*, *Halifax Herald*, *Quebec Chronicle*, and *St. John News*. He is a well-known writer of humorous sketches and speeches in French Canadian dialect, many of which he has delivered at notable political and social gatherings. A vigorous advocate of a moderate protective policy, one elastic enough to cover the ever changing conditions of trade. He attributes the wonderful industrial strides made by the Dominion of Canada, since 1878, largely to the existence of the National policy.

JOHN GEDEON ADAMS, Farmer, Wales, Ont., was born April 27th, 1863, in Osnabruck Township, Ont. His parents were John J. and Caroline Adams. His father entered the old militia force, in 1838, serving as ensign and lieutenant, and also as captain in the volunteer corps, 56th battalion, until 1871. Mr. Adams received his primary education in the public schools of Osnabruck Township, after which he attended the Normal and Model schools, Toronto. His business has always been farming, in which he has been very successful. He is also a member of the I.O.F., A.O.U.W., and Select Knights of Canada, having held office in each. He has also been a member of the Municipal Council for four years, and at present holds the office of Reeve. In politics, Mr. Adams is actively identified with the Patrons of Industry, being their nominee for the House of Commons, for Stormont. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. He was married, December 31st, 1886, to Amy Maria, daughter of W. D. Brooks, Esq., of Mille-Roches, Ont.



WM. STAYLEY PORTER, Merchant and Postmaster, Port Maitland, N. S., was born at that place, November 7th, 1842. He is the son of Wm. C. Porter, and Sarah Gondey. Mr. Porter was educated at the schools of Port Maitland, after which he taught for some years, then entered the establishment of J. B. Stoneman, Yarmouth, and afterwards that of Mr. E. Raymond, shipbuilder, Maitland. He subsequently began business as general merchant and lumberman, at Port Maitland, where he is doing a large trade. He was appointed postmaster in 1883. He is a prominent member of the I.O.O.F. and I.O.G.T., also County Councillor, Justice of the Peace, manager of Maitland Telephone Co., Insurance agent, and was managing director of Clare Lumber Manufacturing Co., School Trustee, etc., etc. In religion, he is a Free Baptist; in politics, a Liberal, and has been asked to stand for parliamentary honors, but has declined. Mr. Porter was married, in 1867, to Julia Perry, of Port Maitland. His family consists of three children.

DONALD McDIARMID, M. D., C. M., M. C. P. S. O., Maxville, Ont., was born in Breadalbane, Scotland, in 1840. His parents were Archibald and Mary McDiarmid, (née Brown) who came to Canada in 1845. Dr. McDiarmid received his education at the Grammar schools of Vankleek Hill and L'Orignal, after which he taught a short time. He then attended Toronto Normal School, from which he obtained Grade A, first-class Certificate. He was principal of the Cornwall public school at the time he decided to study medicine. He entered McGill University, graduating M. D., C. M., in 1867. He then practised at Athol until 1892, when he removed to Maxville. He was appointed Associate Coroner in 1872. He saw active military service in 1866 and 1872, during the Fenian raids; was appointed Captain in 1868, Major of 59th Battalion in 1883, but retired in 1884, retaining rank. The Doctor is Inspector of Public Schools for Glengarry County. He has been married twice, and has a family of six children, living.

PROF. ALEXANDER MELVILLE BELL, one of the most distinguished deaf mute instructors of the age, and author of numerous standard works on Elocution, Phonetic and vocal Physiology, was born at Edinburgh, Scotland, March 1st, 1819. He is the second son of Alexander Bell, professor of Elocution, London, author of the "Practical Elocutionist," "The New Testament with Rhetorical Punctuation," "The Tongue," a poem, etc., etc. In his boyhood, he attended school in Dundee, but is mainly self educated. In 1842, he formulated his new theory of articulation and vocal expression. The following year, he removed to Edinburgh, and lectured both in the University and the New College, remaining until the death of his father, in 1865, when he returned to London. His elder brother, Professor David C. Bell, meantime, had been teaching in Dublin, the father and two sons, being thus, the leading elocutionists of England, Ireland and Scotland. In 1868, Professor Bell gave his first course of lectures in the United States before the Lowell Institute of Boston; in 1870, he delivered a second course, and in 1871, a third. After 1870, he took up his residence at Tutelo Heights, near Brantford, Ont. It was here that his distinguished son, Dr. A. Graham Bell, perfected the Telephone, now a world-wide necessity. For several years, Mr. Bell held the professorship of Elocution in Queen's University, Kingston, and gave courses of lectures in the chief Canadian cities. He also officiated as a member of the Board of Instruction in the School of Vocal Physiology, established by his son, Alexander Graham Bell. In 1881, he removed to Washington, D. C., where he has been preparing for publication, several of his later works, and verbally imparting information to members of the profession who seek it. In 1885, Professor Bell was elected a Fellow of the American Association for the advancement of Science; he is an active member of the Modern Language Association and other Scientific and Educational organizations.

JOHN MACMILLAN, B.A., Ottawa, Ont., was born in Argyleshire, Scotland, December 26th, 1837. He received a thorough education in one of the parish schools of his native land, where he laid the foundation of a good classical and English education, and while prosecuting his studies, passed through a part of the course of training required by pupil teachers. His parents removed to Canada in 1852, and settled near Chatham, Ont. Here Mr. MacMillan began his career as a Canadian teacher, and proved that he could do successful work. His ambition was to receive a University education, and keeping this object in view, he strove to qualify himself for higher work in teaching, by removing to Toronto and entering the Normal School, in 1856. After spending one session at that Institution, he obtained a first-class provincial certificate. Mr. MacMillan's work as a teacher, has mainly been confined to the city of Ottawa. He arrived there, December 31, 1856, and began his public school work in January, 1857. This work, he successfully carried on for three years and a half, and in 1860, entered the University of Toronto, graduating in 1864, winning in his final year a silver medal in metaphysics and ethics, and the Prince of Wales Prize, awarded to the graduate obtaining the highest number of marks in his year. When writing for his B. A. examination, the chairman of the Board of the Ottawa Collegiate Institute, then the Ottawa Grammar School, offered Mr. MacMillan the position of assistant master in that school. This position he accepted and entered upon his new duties in September, of that year. On the resignation of Dr. Thorburn, he was appointed principal of the Collegiate Institute. He has thus been identified with this school for the past thirty years, and, including the time he was connected with public school work, he has served Ottawa thirty-four years, (1894). For many years, Mr. MacMillan has been an elder of Knox Church, Sunday School superintendent, etc., etc.

LOUIS DUHAMEL, M. D., ex-M. P. P., Registrar for the Registration Division of Ottawa County, Hull, Que., was born January 5th, 1835, in the County of Verchères, Que. His parents were François Duhamel and Josephte Audet. He received his classical education at Ottawa College, and afterwards studied medicine at McGill University, graduating in 1860. He then practised successfully in Ottawa city, Pembroke, Ont., and Wright Township, Que., engaging at the same time in lumber operations. He was appointed Registrar in 1886. In politics, he is a Conservative, and was three times elected to represent the County of Ottawa in the Provincial Legislature. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He was married, in 1860, to Félonise Lebel. Mrs. Duhamel died in 1876. His family consists of six children.

ANDREW BELL, B.A., C.E., Almonte, Ont., was born at Toronto, December 21st, 1835. He was educated at the Grammar schools of Dundas and Kingston, also Queen's University, graduating B.A. in 1853. He afterwards also became C. E. In 1869, he entered the Government employ, first, on hydraulic surveys in the North-West, then as resident engineer of the Grenville Canal enlargement. He was then engineer in charge of construction of the new Carillon Canal works. In the Spring of 1886, he became general agent for the Canada Company, also carried on general engineering and architectural business at Almonte, the latter now under the firm name of Bell & Wilkie. Mr. Bell is a member of the Am. Soc. C.E., O. A. O. A., O. A. L. S. and A. F. & A. M. He was married, in September, 1858, to Miss M. Rosamond.

JOSEPH C. CUSSON, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born February 27th, 1865, in L'Assomption, Que. His parents were Cléophas Cusson, undertaker, Beauharnois, Que., and Marie Aurélie Archambault. Mr. Cusson was educated at the Commercial Academy of Beauharnois, Que. His first occupation was that of clerk, at which he worked ten years with his uncle, Mr. J. Cusson, grocer. Then in partnership with Mr. T. Forest, he bought his uncle's business, and after two years, his partner's share, and has since conducted the business on his own account. He is a member of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, and the Artisans' Benevolent Society. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic ; in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Cusson was married to Marie Louise Moineau, daughter of Prof. E. Moineau, of Montreal, Que.

PAUL THOS. DESJARDINS, Notary Public, Hull, Que., was born at St. Janvier, district of Terrebonne, Que., March 27th, 1833. His parents were Paul Desjardins and Marie Zoé Chartrand. Mr. Desjardins was educated at Ste. Thérèse Seminary, and afterwards studied in the offices of J. H. Hervieux and M. Prevost, successfully passing his examination October 18th, 1870. After practising in Montreal, a short time, he removed to Gatineau Point Village, remaining sixteen years, and in 1887, located in Hull, where he has acquired a good paying connection. In politics, he is an Independant. He has been active in municipal matters, and at present is secretary-treasurer of Ottawa County. He was married, April 10th, 1871, to Anna, daughter of G. Clermont, of St. Jérôme. His family consists of five children.

CHARLES ELLIOTT TANNER, M.P. P., Barrister, Pictou, Nova Scotia, was born October 7th, 1857. His parents were Richard and Janet Tanner, natives respectively of Ireland and Scotland. Mr. Tanner received his education at Pictou Academy. He then began the study of law, and after successfully passing his examinations, in 1878, admitting him to practice, opened an office in the town of Pictou, where he still does business. He was appointed Recorder of the town of Pictou in 1888, which office he still holds. Mr. Tanner was elected to the Legislature of Nova Scotia, in 1894, having presented himself, in the interests of the Conservative party. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England. He was married, September 15th, 1886, to Alicia May, daughter of Robt. McDonald, Esq., Pictou, N. S.

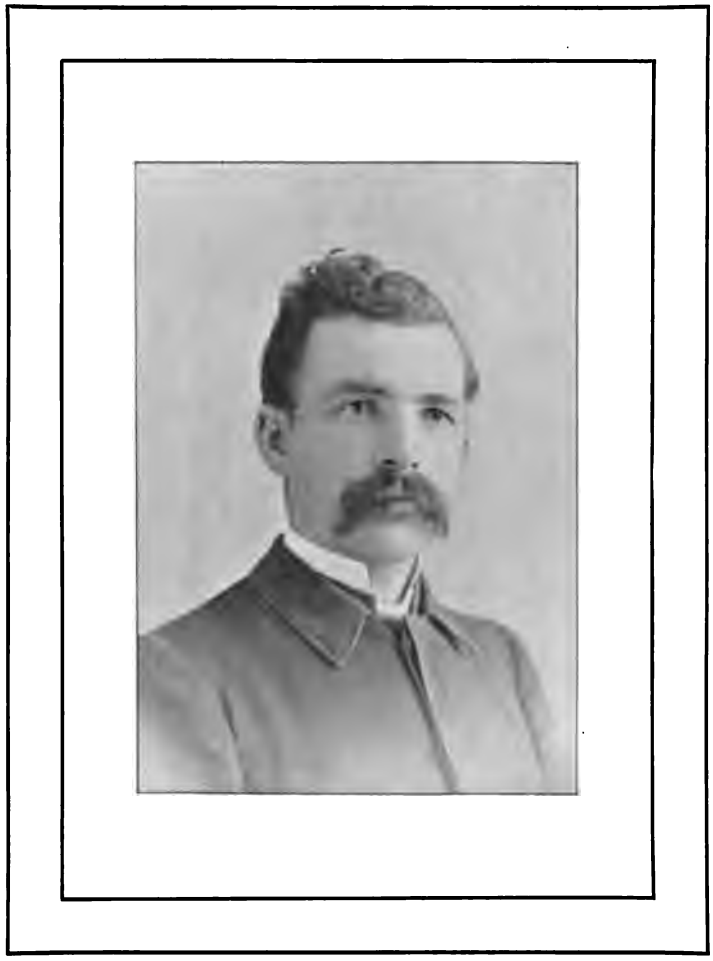
WILFRED RENFORTH GOULD, J. P., Chatham, New Brunswick, was born at Shediac, N. B., December 25th, 1856. His parents were Moran and Mary Gould. Mr. Gould was educated at the common schools of Shediac. He afterwards learned the trade of watchmaker and jeweller, and now carries on an important business in that line in the town of Chatham, where he has become well known. He is also repairer of clocks in connection with the I. C. Railway. Mr. Gould is a member of the Royal Arcanum, A.O.U.W. and I.O.G.T., being a Past Grand Councillor in the latter order. In religion, he is a Methodist, in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Gould was married, February 14th, 1876, to Mary Jane Burke, of Amherst, Nova Scotia. His family consists of six children, three sons and three daughters.

J. A. DIONNE, Merchant, Point St. Charles, Que., was born February 29th, 1868, in Rivière-du-Loup, Que. His father's name is Elzéar Dionne, a foreman on the Intercolonial Railway, while his mother's maiden name was Philomène Chouinard. The latter died in 1884. Mr. Dionne was educated in the Model School of Rivière-du-Loup, and Bourbonnais Grove College, Illinois, U. S. A. He began life as clerk, which business he followed seven years. In 1890, he bought out his employers, and has since continued the business alone, having worked up an excellent trade. He is a member of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, also of the I. O. F., holding the office of Chief Ranger of the Court to which he belongs. In religion, Mr. Dionne is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative. He was married in 1892, to Miss Pelosse.

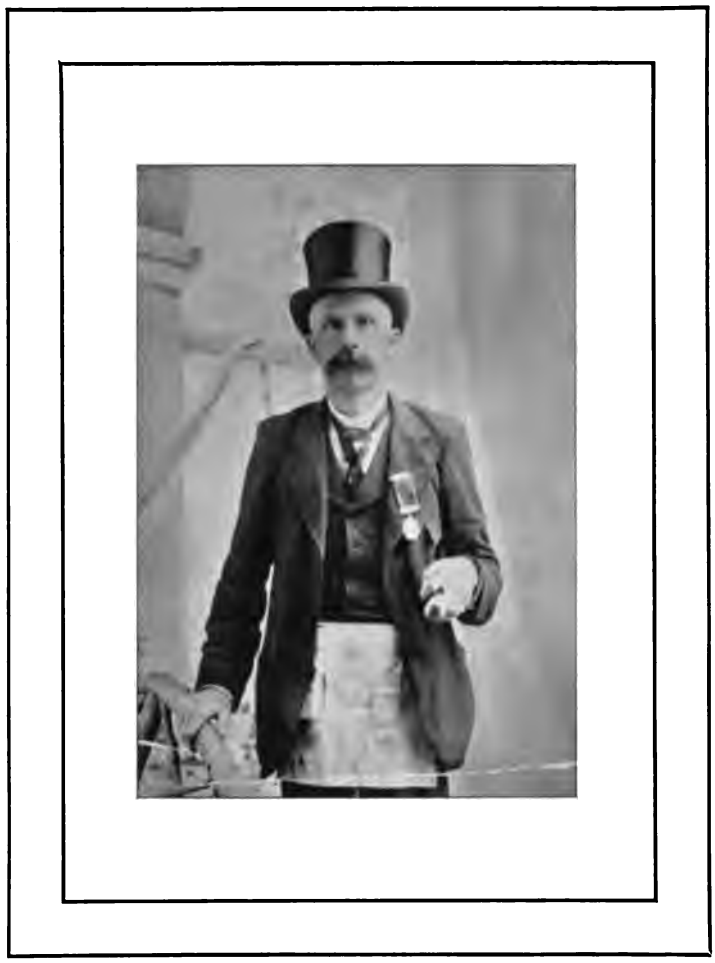
BERNARD TAYLOR, Merchant, Point St. Charles, Montreal, Que., was born April 26th, 1864, in County Roscommon, Ireland. His parents were James Taylor and Mary Cannaughton, natives of Ireland. Mr. Taylor was educated in the public schools of the County of Roscommon. He came to Montreal in 1879, and engaged as clerk with B. Connaughton, with whom he remained until 1892, when he took over the business of his employer, and has since conducted it on his own account. He has now an extensive trade, and a reputation for strictly honorable dealing. Mr. Taylor is a member of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, the C.M.B.A., St. Patrick's and St. Gabriel's societies. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He was married, in July, 1892, to Miss Margaret Pickering. His family consists of one son.

REV. JOHNSTON McLELLAND SNOWDON, M. A., Rector of St. George's Church, Ottawa, was born September 6th, 1860, at Kincardine, Ont. His parents were John and Mary (Cochrane) Snowdon. Mr. Snowdon was educated at the public and High schools of Kincardine, and in 1881, entered Queen's College, Kingston, graduating B. A., from that institution, in 1885. The previous year he commenced his theological course, at Trinity College, Toronto, which he completed in 1886, receiving his degree of M. A. one year later. He was ordained deacon in May, 1886, at Ottawa, by Archbishop Lewis, of Ontario, and priest in the same year, by Bishop Sweatman, of Toronto. His first pastoral charge was Billing's Bridge, where he remained two years, when he accepted the curacy of St. George's, Ottawa, succeeding to the rectorship on the resignation of the Rev. P. Owen Jones, in 1890. He is doing a good work in Ottawa, and stands high in the estimation of his parishioners. Mr. Snowdon was married, in 1881, to Caroline Elizabeth, daughter of Chas. Magee, Esq., president of the Bank of Ottawa, Ottawa. His family consists of one son and one daughter.

JOSEPH HAYES, M.D., Springhill, Cumberland County, N. S., was born at Weirgate, Durham County, Eng., March 23rd, 1864. His parents were James and Mary Jane (Patterson) Hayes, who removed to the United States when our subject was but young, remaining there eight years. Dr. Hayes received his early education at the public schools of Durham, Eng., and again returned to Canada in 1877, and finished his education at Sackville University, taking special courses in 1884-85. In the Fall of 1885, he entered the University of Pennsylvania to study medicine, and graduated May 1st, 1888, with honors, and the degree of M. D. He then commenced to practise at Springhill, where he has worked up a large connection. Dr. Hayes was married December 11th, 1888, to Maria, daughter of Geo. Pippy, of St. John's, Nfld. His family consists of two sons. He is a member of the I. O. O. F., and of the Cumberland and Maritime Provinces Medical associations. He is also surgeon to the Cumberland 93rd Battalion of Infantry, and visiting physician to All Saints Hospital. In religion, he is an active member of the Methodist Church ; and in politics, a Conservative.



REV. FREDERICK ARNOLD WIGHTMAN, Methodist Clergyman, St. John, N.B., was born at Bayswater, N. B., September 19th, 1860. He is the son of John and Sophia J. (Fenwick) Wightman. He is of U. E. Loyalist stock, being a descendant of Lieut.-Col. Wightman. Mr. Wightman received his early education at the schools of Kings County, after which he entered Mount Allison University, Sackville, N. B., where he completed his studies, in 1890. He was ordained at Fredericton, N. B., in the same year, and appointed to Harcourt, N. B., where he remained three years. He was then appointed to his present charge, Carmarthen St. Church, St. John, N. B., where he is meeting with gratifying success. During his probation, he was stationed one year at Springfield, and two years at Bocabec, N. B. Mr. Wightman has been married twice: first, in 1890, to Lily, daughter of Benjamin Williamson, Esq., and after her death, to L. Myrtle Whitman. Mrs. Wightman is a graduate in music and arts of Mount Allison Ladies' College.



ISAAC J. LANE, M.D., C.M., North Williamsburg, was born March 7th, 1858, at Bouck's Hill. His parents were Wm. H. Lane and Allie Casselman. Dr. Lane received his education at Bouck's Hill, North Williamsburg and Iroquois High Schools, and St. Catharine's Collegiate Institute, from which he matriculated in 1881. He then taught one year, and in 1884, commenced to study Medicine at Queen's University, Kingston, graduating in 1886. He then practised in New York State, a short time, when he went to Edinburgh, to take a special course at the Royal Infirmary. In 1887, he returned to Canada, settling at North Williamsburg, where he has a large practice. He has developed a special interest for Ophthalmic Surgery, having successfully treated a number of serious cases, and has therefore decided to take a special course under Prof. Noyes' Ophthalmic Hospital, New York. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., I. O. F., A. O. U. W., and Select Knights. In 1887, he married Belve Morden, of Peterborough County.

REV. RONALD McDOUGALL, P. P., Margaree, C. B., was born October, 17th, 1859, at S. W. Margaree, C. B. His parents were Hugh McDougall and Sarah McLellan. Father McDougall received his early education at the public school of S. W. Margaree, and at the graded school of Broad Cove Marsh. He then entered St. Francis Xavier's College, Antigonish, and in August, 1883, Memramcook College, N.B., where he took a course of philosophical and theological studies. While there, he was promoted to the professorship of geometry and algebra, being remarkably proficient in the former branch. In 1885, he returned to Antigonish College, where he studied theology two years. In this college, he also accepted a professorship of Geometry, besides teaching a Latin class. The distinguished Antigonish College geometry class of 1886, so often referred to, obtained its fame under his teaching. Prominent in the membership of that class, were names now well known to the public, among which might be mentioned, those of Rev. A. L. McDonald, Rev. H. P. McPherson, Rev. Donald Cameron, (now deceased), Rev. R. McNeil, Rev. Chas. W. McDonald, etc., etc. In 1886, he graduated from this college with the degree of B.A. One year later, he entered Nicolet Seminary, Que., where he studied theology. At Nicolet, he took a professorship in English. In 1888, he was there ordained priest by Right Rev. Bishop Gravel. While studying at the Seminary, such an attachment was developed for the institution, that Father McDougall always looks forward with pleasure to a visit to his old friends and College mates there. Immediately after his ordination, he returned to his native county, where, after a short vacation, he accepted the charge of the Parish of Margaree, where he has remained ever since. The extensive repairs on the church, since his incumbency, are evidences of his industry and enterprise, while the universal esteem, in which he is held, is a token of the zeal and charity that has characterized his pastorate.

THE HONORABLE THOMAS ROSENELL JONES, Banker and Broker, St. John, N.B., was born in St. John, September 12th, 1825. He is the son of John Jones and Eliza Rosenell, residents of the city of St. John, the latter being a grand-daughter of Thomas Mullin, the first Irishman that settled in the Maritime Provinces. Mr. Jones received his education at the schools of St. John, finishing it at the Commercial School, conducted by Thos. Addison & Son. At fourteen years of age, he entered on mercantile pursuits with Isaac Woodward, Esq., late mayor of the city of St. John, after which he entered the employ of Stephen K. Foster, and for three and one half years, had the management of the commercial business of Mr. Foster, at Fredericton. In 1849, he returned to St. John, and commenced business for himself, carrying on a very extensive wholesale trade, until 1881, when he retired. He always took an active part in affairs concerning the welfare of the city, and was a member of the Council Board for eight years. During this time, he brought in more measures of reform than any man before or since. In politics, he is a supporter of the Conservative party, and was appointed a member of the Legislative Council, in 1868, and remained a member of it during its existence of twenty-two years. He is also a member of the Board of Trade, St. John, and past president of the same. He was appointed, on three occasions, a delegate to the Dominion Board of Trade, and he is the author of the "Canadian Meterological System," and was one of the promoters of the cantilever bridge, at St. John. He is also a member of the Masonic Order, having joined that body when twenty-one years of age, also belongs to St. George's Society. Mr. Jones was married, in 1852, to Mary Jane, daughter of the late Charles Downey, Esq., of the parish of Johnson, Queens County, N.B. He has had a family of six sons and five daughters. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, a communicant of St. Paul's Church and a Vestryman.

JOHN BISHOP, senior member of the law firm of Bishop & Smith, Ottawa, was born Oct., 31, 1849, in Carleton County, Ont. He was educated in the public schools, Rev. H. J. Borthwick's Private School, and the Ottawa Grammar School. He began the study of law in 1872, was admitted as Solicitor in 1877, and called to the Bar in 1879. He then practised in Ottawa, four years, when he formed a partnership with G. M. Greene, which lasted for ten years, when he formed his present connection. During the fifteen years Mr. Bishop has practised in Ottawa, he has established a high reputation for integrity and legal ability. He is vice-president of the Carleton County Law Association; in politics, is a Conservative; in religion, an Episcopalian. He was married Sept. 7th, 1887, to Miss F. J. King, of Port Hope, Ont.

HON. THOMAS JOHNSON, M. P. P., Lockeport, N. S., was born at Shelburne, N. S., Oct. 30th, 1821. He attended the schools of Shelburne, until fifteen years of age, after which he had to educate himself. When twenty-four, he commenced a seafaring life, and in 1848, was in command of a West India vessel, sailing from Halifax. He held the office of sheriff of Shelburne County, from 1849 to 1853, when he resigned, but accepted again in 1861, and held it another three years. In 1865, he removed to Lockeport, where he has since resided. He represented his county in the Legislature, from 1867 to 1878, and in 1882, was again elected, and has been re-elected at every general election since. He is a man whom the people can trust. He was married, in 1866, to Mrs. J. Todd, daughter of John Locke.

THOS. BROSSOIT, B. C. L. (McGill), Q. C., Beauharnois, Que, was born in that place, in 1843. He was educated at St. Hyacinthe and Ste. Thérèse colleges, taking a complete course of eight years in classics. He then began the study of law, in Montreal, and entered McGill College, receiving his B. C. L. in 1864. He was admitted to the Bar, Oct. 4th, 1864, and at once settled in Beauharnois, where he has since practised. In 1874, he was appointed paymaster and collector on the Beauharnois Canal, which he resigned in 1879. He has been mayor of Beauharnois twice and filled the position with dignity and ability. He has also been editor of *L'Echo de Beauharnois* and *Le Progrès de Valleyfield*, for years. He was married, in 1866, to Miss Rose Anne Sabourin. He has a family of five children.

S. D. VALLIÈRES, Merchant, Montreal, was born November 13th, 1853, in Ste. Rose, Que. His parents are Martin Vallières and Julie Galarneau. Mr. Vallières was educated in Ste. Rose. He then spent five years as clerk, when he removed to Chicago, to learn the English language, remaining two years. He then returned to Montreal, and spent two years with a grocer. In 1874, he began business on his own account. Mr. Vallières is first vice-president of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, and of the Artisans' Benevolent Society, also a member of the St. Joseph, C. M. B. A., Alliance Nationale and St. Vincent benevolent societies. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Vallières was married, in 1874, to Miss Marie Laure Dagenais. His family consists of five children.

JOHN O'SULLIVAN, Chief of Police, Halifax, N. S., was born August 14th, 1844, in the County of Limerick, Ireland. His parents were Dennis and Margaret(Cronan) O'Sullivan, now deceased. Mr. O'Sullivan came to this country with his parents when four months old, settling in Halifax. He received his education at St. Patrick School, in that city. He was first appointed a policeman on the Halifax police force, after which he was appointed sergeant of police, then assistant city marshall, and finally chief of police, which position he now fills. Chief O'Sullivan discharges the duties of this responsible position in an able manner, and much of the quiet of the city of Halifax is due to his vigilance. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics, a Conservative. He is also a member of the S. O. T.

FRANK W. J. GLASSCOCK, General Merchant, Marbleton, Que., was born September 2nd, 1851, at Peckham, Eng. His parents are Wm. and Sarah (Archer) Glasscock. In 1868, he entered a large wholesale dry goods house in London, and then his father's retail establishment, as manager. He afterwards engaged with Jno. Welch & Son, Cheapside, London. In 1875, he came to Canada; he at first farmed, and then engaged with Geo. Addie & Co., general merchants, Marbleton, and in 1877, purchased their business. In 1889, he commenced to purchase cattle and hogs for beef and pork purposes, in which he now carries on a successful trade. He belongs to the English Church, and is a Conservative. He holds various municipal offices, and is a member of the Masonic Order. He married, in 1889, Mrs. David Moe.

REV. FREDERIC BRINKLEY HODGINS, B. A., Curate of St. George's Anglican Church, Ottawa, was born July 29th, 1862, in Toronto. He is the youngest son of John George Hodgins, M.A., L.L.D. Mr. Hodgins was educated at Upper Canada College, Toronto Collegiate Institute, Toronto University and Wycliffe College. He received his B. A. in 1888, and graduated with honors from Wycliffe College in 1890. He was editor of the *Varsity*, (college paper), during 1885-89. He was ordained deacon in 1890, and priest one year later. He was assistant English master and assistant Chaplain of Bishop Ridley College, St. Catharines, 1890-93, when he was appointed to his present charge, where he has won universal esteem. He is a member of the Council of the Toronto University Club of Ottawa.

JAMES O'SHAUGHNESSY, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born Dec. 28th, 1850, in the County of Limerick, Ireland. His father's name is James O'Shaughnessy, while his mother's maiden name was Mary Hanley. Mr. O'Shaughnessy was educated in the schools of Ireland. In 1872, he came to Canada, locating in Montreal. In 1877, he started business for himself as grocer. He is a director of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, also a member of St. Patrick's National Society, the C. M. B. A., Branch No. 1, and Catholic Order of Foresters, and treasurer of St. Lawrence Court No. 263, of the latter. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Liberal. Mr. O'Shaughnessy has been married twice: first, to Hanoruh Scanlan, and second, to Margaret Culhane. His family consists of four children.

REV. R. MACDONALD, P.P., New Glasgow, N.S., was born in 1862, at Knoydart, N. S. His parents were Hugh and Catherine Macdonald. Father Macdonald received his education at Pictou Academy, St. Francis-Xavier College, Antigonish, and Laval University. Quebec. He was ordained priest in 1888, by Bishop Cameron, at Arichat, C.B. His first charge included Princeville, Creignish and Hawkesbury, C. B., and from there he was promoted to his present charge at New Glasgow, in September, 1894. His labors, in all his fields, have been very successful, which has given him a firm hold on the affections of his people. During his incumbency in C.B., several valuable ecclesiastical buildings have been erected and paid for. Judging from his marked success as a young man, there is a bright future in store for him. His education and refinement, coupled with his energy and love of his work, cannot fail to give him a distinguished place in the history of his diocese. With his unconquerable determination, his future success is certainly assured.

DAVID GRUCHY, P. M., Merchant, Descouse, C. B., was born on the Island of Jersey, in 1822. His parents were Philip and Elizabeth Gruchy. Mr. Gruchy came to Canada in 1836, settling at Arichat, where he remained eight years. In 1844, he went into business for himself, as merchant, at Descouse, which he still conducts, and in which he has been remarkably successful. He was appointed P. M. in 1860, which office he has also held since. He is also Coroner, Justice of the Peace, Commissioner for taking affidavits, etc., etc. Although well up in years, he is still hale and hearty, attending to his duties with the energy of a much younger man. His many friends wish him prolonged life and pleasure. He received his education in Jersey. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England; in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Gruchy was married to Mary, daughter of the late John J. Marshall, at one time Speaker of the House of Assembly of Nova Scotia, and Financial Secretary of the Province.

JOHN LEVI OXNER, Merchant, also Editor and Proprietor of *The Enterprise*, Bridgewater, N. S., was born August 17th, 1834, at Dublin Shore, N. S. His father's name was Nicholas Oxner, while his mother's maiden name was Anna Margaret Moser. Mr. Oxner was educated in the common schools of Nova Scotia. In 1858, he began mercantile life at Bridgewater, where he has since resided, and he has now the largest general store in the town. He has a natural talent for business, being a good buyer, and anticipating the needs of the public, he always has on hand, at right prices, what his customers require, which is probably the secret of his success. He is also editor and proprietor of *The Enterprise*, one of the best county newspapers in the Dominion. In politics, he is a Liberal, and the interests of that party are well looked after in the columns of his paper. In religion, he is a member of the Presbyterian Church, holding the office of elder. He also takes a great interest in Sabbath School work, and is now superintendent of his school in Bridgewater. Mr. Oxner was married, in 1860, to Miss Rachael Cook, daughter of John Cook, Esq.

JOHN INKERMAN MACCRAKEN, B. A., Barrister, Ottawa, Ont., was born in that city, about 1854. He was educated at a private school, and the Grammar School, in Ottawa. In 1870, he entered Queen's University, Kingston, where he graduated with the degree of B.A., in 1874. He shortly afterwards entered the law office of Lees & Gemmell, Ottawa, and was called to the Bar in 1878. During the year 1888, he acted temporarily as Deputy Clerk of the Crown, Clerk of the County Court, and Registrar of the Surrogate Court for the County of Carleton. He has, since 1879, practised in Ottawa, at first, in partnership with Hon. R. W. Scott and D. B. MacTavish, and afterwards with N. A. Belcourt, and George F. Henderson. He is now the senior member of the firm of MacCraken, Henderson & McKay. Mr. MacCraken has always taken a great interest in educational matters, and for many years has been a member of the Public School Board of Ottawa, and was chairman of that body in 1891 and 1892. He is a member of St. Andrew's Society of Ottawa, and of Argyle Lodge, Sons of Scotland. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a supporter of the Conservative party.

NAPOLÉON ANTOINE BELCOURT, L.L.D., Barrister and Solicitor, Ottawa, Ont., was born in Toronto, September 15th, 1860. His parents were F. N. Belcourt, and Marie Anna Clair. Mr. Belcourt received his early education at St. Joseph Seminary, Three Rivers, afterwards entering Laval University, in 1879, graduating with the degree of Master of Laws, (cum magna laude), in 1882. In that year, he commenced to practice law in Montreal, where he remained two years. In 1884, he was admitted as barrister and solicitor, in Ontario, and commenced to practise in Ottawa, where he soon established a large connection and he is to-day the only advocate in active practice in the provinces of Ontario and Quebec. In 1884, he formed a partnership with Hon. Wm. McDougall and Frank McDougall. In 1888, he formed the partnership of Belcourt, MacCraken & Henderson, which lasted until September, 1894, when the firm of Belcourt & Ritchie was formed. Mr. Belcourt has established a reputation for judgment and book learning throughout Eastern Ontario and the Province of Quebec, and stands to-day in the front rank of his profession. In 1891, Ottawa University organized its law faculty, when Mr. Belcourt was appointed one of its members, and secretary. In politics, Mr. Belcourt is a Liberal, and has done yeoman work for his party. He speaks the English and French languages with equal facility and ability, and is very popular with all classes. In 1891, he was a candidate for the Commons, for Ottawa city, but was defeated by a small majority. He is president of the French Liberal Club of Ottawa, vice-president of the Reform Association, and vice-president of Ontario Liberal Association. In June, 1894, he was appointed County Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for Carleton County. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He was married January 29th, 1889, to Hectorine, eldest daughter of Hon. Mr. Shehyn, ex-Provincial Treasurer of Quebec. His family consists of two daughters.

JOHN GILCHRIST, M.D., St. John, N.B., was born in the Parish of Prince William, N. B., January 5th, 1832. His parents were James and Mary (Yerxa, a loyalist and Huguenot family) Gilchrist. Dr. Gilchrist was educated at the schools of Prince William and under the tuition of his father. He afterwards read Latin with Stephen Spring, of Calais, Me. He then studied medicine with Drs. Swan and Holmes, for three years, and during that time attended lectures at the State of Maine Medical School, and became a licentiate in medicine, surgery and midwifery, in New Brunswick; and soon after, was appointed surgeon to the old St. Andrew's Railway, then being constructed, and in 1858, became the successor of Dr. Burpee, of Sheffield, N.B., where he successfully practised nine years. During that time, he took an active interest in the work of the old Liberal party, and did all he could to bring about Confederation. He then took a course at Bellevue Hospital Medical College, and graduated with honors and the degree of M. D., in 1868. He was private pupil of the celebrated Austin Flint. sr., and Professor Smith. In the Fall of 1868, he located in Portland, now the north end of the city of St. John, and has a large practice. He is also an active and influential worker in the interest of the Conservative party, and was an unsuccessful candidate for local parliamentary honors, in 1892. Dr. Gilchrist was married, in 1859, to Lizzie Tremaine, daughter of the late William Brewer, of Calais, Maine. His family consists of two daughters and two sons. His eldest son is a graduate of Bellevue Hospital, and now practises at Greenwich, N.B., being the only practitioner within a radius of twenty-five miles. The Doctor owns an extensive farm in King's County, and is the largest importer and breeder of Jersey cattle and thoroughbred horses, in the Province of New Brunswick. Dr. Gilchrist is a member of the Royal Arcanum, and is examiner for the Canada Temperance General Association. In religion, he is an Episcopalian.

ALEX. WELLSLY FALCONER, Principal of Victoria School, Galt, Ont., was born near Guelph, Ont., February 20th, 1851. His parents were William and Christina Falconer, natives of Scotland. Mr. Falconer received his education at the public schools, Rockwood Academy, and the Normal School, Toronto, graduating with honors in 1870. He then taught school in the township of Beverly, Wentworth Co., fourteen years, at Little's Corners, seven years, and, in 1889, was appointed Principal of the Victoria School, Galt. He also deals largely in real estate. He was married, in 1878, to Belle, daughter of Thomas Gray, Esq., of Beverly. His family consists of six children. He is a member of the Masonic Fraternity, A. O. U. W. and Maccabees. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and holds the office of elder.

DEWITT H. MARTYN, M. D., Kincardine, Ont., was born in 1837, at Beachville, Oxford County, Ont. Dr. Martyn graduated from Toronto University in 1860, and located in Kincardine. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, and in politics, a Conservative. He is also a member of the A. F. & A. M., in which order he is a Past D. D. G. M., the I. O. O.F., A.O.F., A.O.U.W., and medical examiner in each of the latter. In 1882, he married Mary Elizabeth Matthie, of Brockville, and after her death, Sarah M. Rooklidge, of Kincardine. Dr. Martyn takes great interest in educational matters, and has been a member of the Kincardine School Board for over thirty years. For three years in the County Council, nine years in the Kincardine Council, and is at present secretary of the Kincardine Board of Trade.

HENRY LODGE, of McCaffrey & Lodge, proprietors of the American Steam Laundry, Montreal, was born August 22nd, 1862, at Troy, N. Y. He is the son of John E. and Harriet (Smith) Lodge. He received his education at the schools of Troy, N. Y. He was then in a laundry there for six years, when he removed to Montreal, and continued in the same line. In 1890, in connection with his present partner, he purchased the business above referred to. The proprietors of this establishment being experienced men in their line, they have their house equipped with the latest improved machinery known to the industry, and control a very large business. In religion, Mr. Lodge is a member of the Church of England. He was married in October, 1891, to Miss Julia Gallagher. His family consists of two children.

EDWARD McCAFFREY, of the firm of McCaffrey & Lodge, American Steam Laundry, Montreal, was born August 18th, 1865, in that city. He is the son of Patrick McCaffrey and Catherine McDonnell. Mr. McCaffrey received his education at the Christian Brothers' School, Montreal. In 1890, in connection with Mr. H. Lodge, he purchased the above named business, which was founded in 1883. Both, Mr. McCaffrey and his partner, were experienced in this line, and have greatly enlarged their field of operation. Their premises are very spacious, and they give steady employment to a large number of hands. So rapid has been the increase of their business, that it has been necessary to establish agencies in various parts of the city. In religion, Mr. McCaffrey is a member of the Roman Catholic Church.

VERY REV. J. J. EGAN, Dean of Barrie, Ont., was born in 1847, in County Clare, Ireland. He was educated in the Diocesan College, at Ennis, Ireland, St. Michael's College, Toronto, and the Theological Seminary, Montreal. He was ordained in 1873, and appointed assistant, at Thorold, Ont. In 1874, he was made P. P. of Caledon; in 1880, of St. Paul's, Toronto; in 1881, Thornhill, and in 1893, appointed Dean of Barrie. He is also known as the author of "What do the Jesuits teach?", and other writings, also articles in the *Catholic Review*. Dean Egan organized a conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, in Barrie, is a member of the Barrie Collegiate Institute Board, a director of the Barrie Mechanics' Institute, etc., and has been instrumental in building several churches and schools.

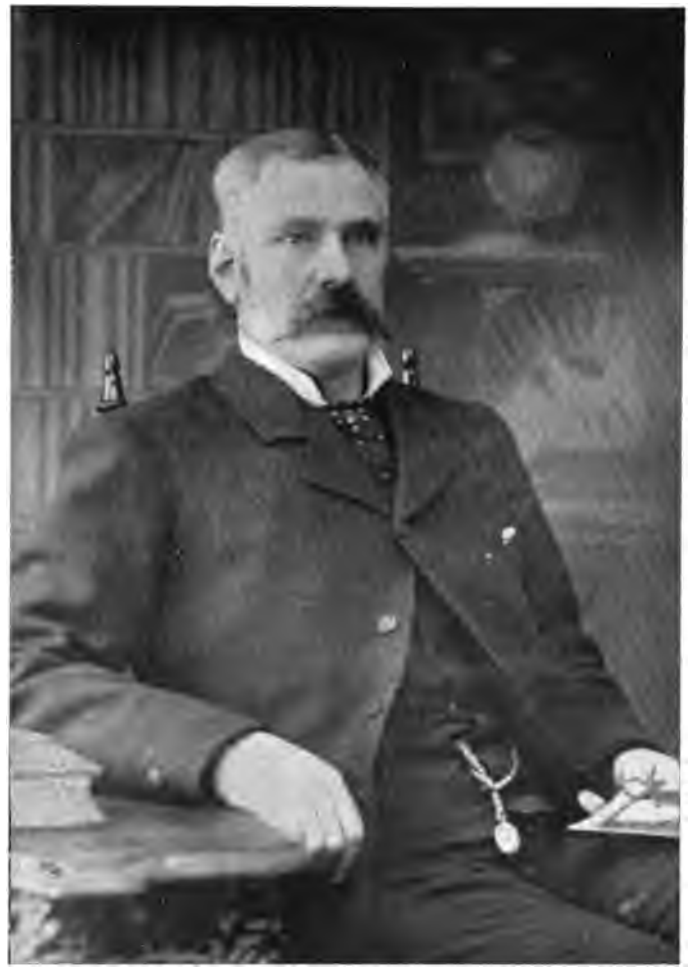
ABNER NICHOLS, Mayor of Carleton Place, was born August 31st, 1835, at Kemptville, Ont. His father was Daniel Nichols, while his mother was Sarah Vanburen, a relative of Martin Vanburen, one of the presidents of the United States. Mr. Nichols received his education at the Kemptville School, and at Gouverneur Wesleyan Seminary, N. Y. He spent his early life on the farm, and served his apprenticeship as wagon maker. He was for seventeen years, foreman in the saw mill of Hon. Peter McLaren, Perth. He is now the proprietor of a circular saw mill, sash and door factory, in Carleton Place. He has been councillor, deputy reeve, reeve, and is now mayor. In politics, he is an active Conservative; in religion, an Episcopalian. He is also a member of the Masonic Order and the C.O.C.F.

JOSEPH CRANDELL, Postmaster, Moncton, N. B., was born February 14th, 1822, at Salisbury, N. B. He was educated in the public schools. Early in life, he took an interest in municipal affairs, and was elected the first mayor of Moncton. He also holds the position of postmaster with general satisfaction. In religion, Mr. Crandell is a Baptist; in politics, a Conservative. He was married to Miss Frances A Steadman, and has a family of four sons and one daughter. His eldest son, Steadman Crandell, is head clerk of the Moncton Post Office; William, is manager of the Western Union Telegraph Office, Moncton; Frank, is a merchant in that city; Gilbert is farming at Springhill, N. B.; while his daughter is married to Joseph Rogers, of Moncton. Mr. Crandell takes a deep interest in the prosperity of Moncton.

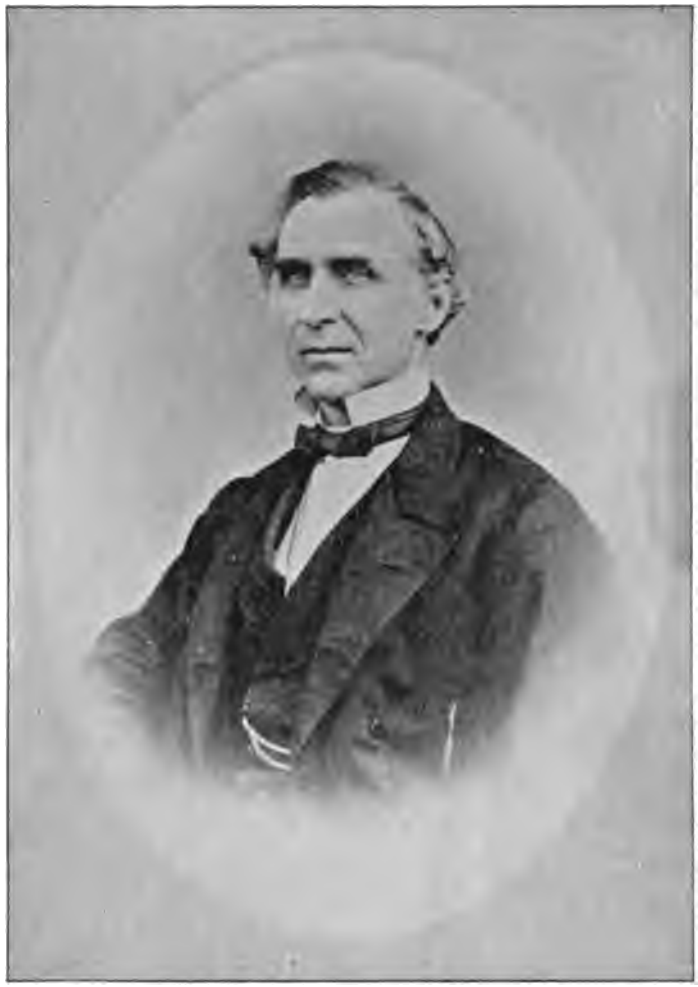
DUNCAN CHRISTOPHER McRAE, Bridge End, Ont., was born in 1839, in the Township of Lancaster, Ont. Mr. McRae was raised on a farm, and has since followed that avocation. He has also been engaged in lumbering since 1889. He has been a prominent member of the Glengarry Agricultural Association for many years. He was elected deputy reeve in 1875, and reeve in 1876, 77, 78, 79, 85 and 86. He has also been a Justice of the Peace, a commissioner for taking affidavits, etc. He was appointed Division Court Clerk, in 1887. He obtained a certificate from the Military School, Kingston, in 1865, and in 1866, enlisted in No. 3 Company of Volunteer Infantry, Cornwall, as ensign. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He was married, July 17th, 1876, to Margaret, daughter of Mr. Alex. McRae.

EDWARD SANDREUTER, of the firm Sandreuter & Waters, importers of Silks, Vice-Consul for Switzerland, was born at Basle, Switzerland, December 14th, 1854; his parents were Emanuel and Sophia (Oser) Sandreuter, natives of Basle. He received his early education in Switzerland, completing the same in 1872. In the same year, he began to qualify himself for a business career. This course he followed for two years. In October, 1874, he came to Canada, locating at Montreal; there he went into business with Munderloh & Co., importers, with whom he remained six years. In 1880, he returned for a time to Basle, to look after his interests in his father's estate. In 1889, upon the request of his old employer, Mr. Munderloh, he returned to Montreal, and again connected himself with this firm, where he had full charge of the marine department of his business, also the German Consulate, until the death of his employer. He then became the acting German Consul for five months. In 1892, he was appointed Vice-Consul for Switzerland. He was for two years, president of the National Society of Switzerland, in Montreal. In religion, he is a Lutheran.

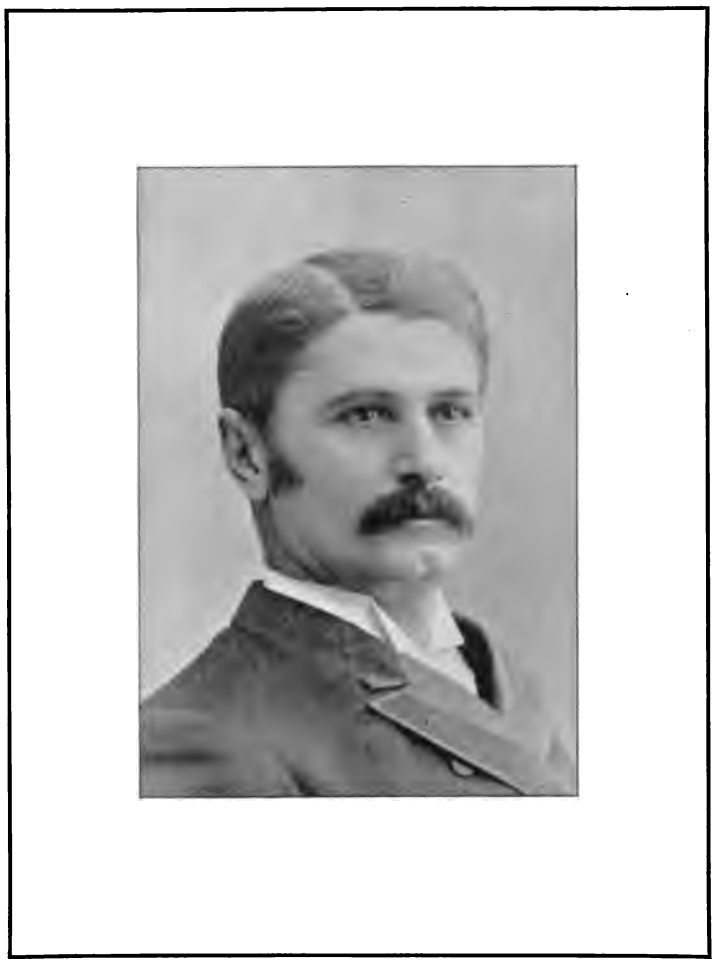
THE LATE REV. LS. ETIENNE REBOUL, O. M. I., was born in 1827, in France, and was educated in that country, completing his theological studies at Marseilles. He emigrated to Canada in 1853, and acted as travelling missionary on the banks of the Ottawa River, afterwards carrying on a work of evangelization and colonization in the upper Gatineau Valley, showing, in this capacity, wonderful energy and ability. He was obliged to labor in this field by turns as woodman, husbandman and clergyman, yet he did not allow secular employment to interfere with his duties as a missionary. He afterwards resided in Ottawa for some years and, in 1867, permanently located in Hull, where he did much to advance the moral and spiritual welfare of his parishioners, was also instrumental in establishing parochial schools, and in advancing the secular interests of the city. He also labored for twenty years as missionary among the shanty men, visiting the various shanties in the forest lands of Ontario and Quebec, sacrificing a great deal of comfort in his zeal for spreading the Gospel. He finally ended his life among the shanty men in the winter of 1877, and was buried at Hull.



JOHN STANDISH, M. B., L. & M.C., P. & S., Ont., Practising Physician, Surgeon and Accoucher, Palmerston, Ont., was born April 17th, 1841, in Halton Co., Ont. His parents were John and Margaret (Bell) Standish, natives of Ireland. Dr. Standish was educated at the common schools and Georgetown Academy, under the principalship of Mr. McVicar. He also attended the private school of Rev. Chas. Dade, where he prepared for matriculation into Toronto University, which he passed in the Fall of 1860. He then attended Toronto School of Medicine, and graduated in 1870. He had the privilege of attending the first matriculation examination under the regime of the Ontario Medical Council. After getting his diploma, he practised at Hillsburgh for two years, when he removed to Georgetown, where he remained nearly nine years. He then settled in Palmerston, where he has since continued to practise. He is a member of the Orange Order, A. O. U. W., Select Knights, R. T. of T., and has been a member of the I. O. O. F., Maccabee's, Sons of Temperance, British American Templars. In politics, Dr. Standish is a Conservative, a firm believer in the National Policy as a means of developing Canada, by encouraging the manufacture of such goods as are required for use here, and by giving employment to Canadians. He is also an ardent advocate of British connection, and of Imperial federation. He has been offered candidature for both Provincial and Dominion Elections, but has declined. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, and has been warden at different times and delegate to Synod. He has also taken an interest in municipal affairs. While in Georgetown, he was a member of the Council for five years, and since coming to Palmerston, has been mayor one term, and now holds the office of treasurer of the town. Dr. Standish was married, in 1863, to Elizabeth Turley, of Toronto, and after her death, married Mary Curry, daughter of Samuel Curry, Esq., also of Toronto. The Doctor's family consists of five sons.



THE LATE JAMES WILLIAM COOK, was born in the Township of Williamsburg, Dundas County, Ont., January 11th, 1820. His father was Capt. Geo. Cook, who served at the battle of Crysler's Farm, and commanded a company at the taking of the Windmill, while his mother was Sarah Castleman. Both were direct descendants of U. E. Loyalist families, who left their homes in the Mohawk Valley, N. Y., at the close of the Revolutionary War, and settled in Dundas County, Ont. Mr. Cook received his education at the district schools of the County of Dundas. During his early life he was associated with his father in the lumber business, the latter having mills on the Castor River, which is a tributary of the Ottawa. He acquired a thorough knowledge of the business, and in 1848, he, in conjunction with his brothers Geo. J. and John L. Cook, formed the firm of Cook & Bros., which engaged actively and extensively in the lumber and timber business in Western Canada and Quebec. He was, as all his family had been, a staunch Liberal in politics, and was elected member for Dundas County, in 1857, and served until 1861. His uncle Capt. John Cook, had formerly represented this county in the Upper Canada Assembly, from 1829 until Responsible Government was obtained. His brother, S. S. Cook, Esq., also represented Dundas in the Local House, from Confederation until 1875, while another brother, H. H. Cook, Esq., was member for North Simcoe, in the House of Commons, from 1872 to 1879, and of East Simcoe, from that date until 1891. In 1861, Mr. Cook was married to Miss Paul, of Quebec. His family consists of one daughter and one son. The former was married, in 1885, to J. P. B. Casgrain, C. E., P. L. S., of Montreal, while the latter is the present second vice-president of the Cook & Bros. Lumber Company, of Ontario. Mr. Cook died May 21st, 1875, at the age of fifty-five years, deeply regretted by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.



BENJ. BEAUCHAMP, M. P. P., only son of Benj. and Marie Beauchamp, was born at St. Hermas, Que., December 21st, 1844. He was educated at Jacques-Cartier Normal School, Montreal, receiving a first-class teachers' certificate. He obtained both classes of certificates at School of Military Instruction, in 1865. He has been secretary of the Agricultural Society of Two-Mountains, since 1877. He is a very extensive agriculturist, also carrying on dairying to a great extent, and has lectured on that subject in many parts. In politics, he is an Independent Conservative. At the General Election of 1881, in Two-Mountains, his opponent was unseated, and Mr. Beauchamp was returned to the Legislative Assembly, 21st October, 1882, and re-elected March, 1884, after having been unseated himself. At the General Election of October, 1886, he was re-elected by acclamation; elected by 500 majority at the general election of June, 1890, and by acclamation at General Election of March, 1892. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic.

PETER FISHER, Postmaster of Wingham, Ont., was born Dec. 12th, 1830, in Killin, Perthshire, Scotland. His parents came to Canada in 1831, settled in Osgoode, but in 1846 removed to Guelph, where our subject learned the woolen manufacturing business. The years 1851-52 were spent in London. From 1853 until 1857, he had the management of the Guelph Woolen Mill, after which he was in business on his own account there, until 1863. In 1860, he purchased the Government water privilege in Wingham, on which he built saw, flouring and woolen mills, and is thus the founder of manufacturing in Wingham. In 1875, his mills were destroyed by fire, but he at once formed a partnership with his brother Archie, and rebuilt. In 1867, he was appointed Postmaster of Wingham. He is also a J. P., president Reform Association of North Huron, captain of North Huron Militia, License Commissioner, president of Bible Society, etc. May 24th, 1864, he was married to Louisa E. Wright, of Guelph. He is in religion, a Baptist.

FRANÇOIS OCTAVE DUGAS, Lawyer, Joliette, Quebec, was born April 12th, 1857, at St. Jacques, P.Q. His parents were Aimé Dugas and Sophie Poirier. After leaving the public schools, he took a classical course in St. Mary's College, Montreal, studied law at McGill College, graduating B. C. L. in 1880. He was admitted to the Bar in that year, and began a successful practice in Joliette. From 1887 to 1892, he was Crown Prosecutor for the district of Joliette, has been town councillor since 1890, and is now acting *pro* Mayor; he was also attorney for the Provincial Revenue from 1888 to 1892. He belongs to the C. M. B. A., and was its first vice-president. In politics, Mr. Dugas is a Liberal. He was married, in October 1882, to Alix Godin, daughter of the late F. B. Godin, Q. C., and ex-M. P. for the County of Joliette.

WILLIAM RALPH BELL, M. D., C. M., Ottawa, Ont., was born December 14th, 1832, in Yorkshire, England. His father was William Bell, and his mother the daughter of Wm. Grayson, of London, Eng. Dr. Bell was educated at Kirklington Academy and Bramham College, took his medical course at the University of Marischal College, Aberdeen, and in Germany and Holland. He graduated Ph. D., M. D., from the Royal University of Erlangan, Bavaria, in 1859; M. D., from the University of Vermont, in 1869; M. D., C. M., from the University of Bishop's College, in 1883; M.D., C.M., from Chicago University, in 1872. He is a member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario and Quebec. Aug. 14th, 1856, he married, Jessie F. Morrison, of Montreal. In religion, he is an Episcopalian.

JAMES DOYLE, Alderman, Moncton, N.B., was born, December 12th, 1852, at Grenville, N. S. His parents were Garret Doyle, and Jane Webb, both now deceased. Mr. Doyle received a common school education. In the Spring of 1869, he engaged as clerk with J. F. Crowe & Co., grocers, Halifax. In October, 1873, he returned to Grenville, and opened a general store. He built a store and dwelling house in Moncton, in 1877, and removed to that place in the Spring of 1883, going into the grocery business. In March, 1887, he was elected alderman, for Ward 3, and re-elected in 1888, 1891, and in 1894, was elected for the city at large. In religion, he is a Baptist; in politics, a Liberal. He is also a Free Mason. Mr. Doyle was married, in Sept. 1874, to Margaret Treen, of Wallace, N.S. He has four children.

REV. WM. LEWIN, B.A., Prescott, Ont., was born in Liverpool, Eng., November 12th, 1823. His parents were Edward Lewin and Catherine Clarke. Mr. Lewin received his early education at the Liverpool Institute. From 1848 to 1853, he held the headmastership of Peel Mathematical School, Isle of Man. He then entered Trinity College, Dublin, where he remained four years, graduating B. A. in 1857. In that year, he came to Canada, and assumed the mastership of Newburg Grammar School, remaining until 1863, when he was ordained deacon, and sent as missionary to Shannonville. In 1865, he was ordained priest, and in 1870, took charge of the parish of Picton, remaining until 1874, when he assumed his present charge. For some years, he was Rural Dean of Grenville, but resigned on account of ill health.

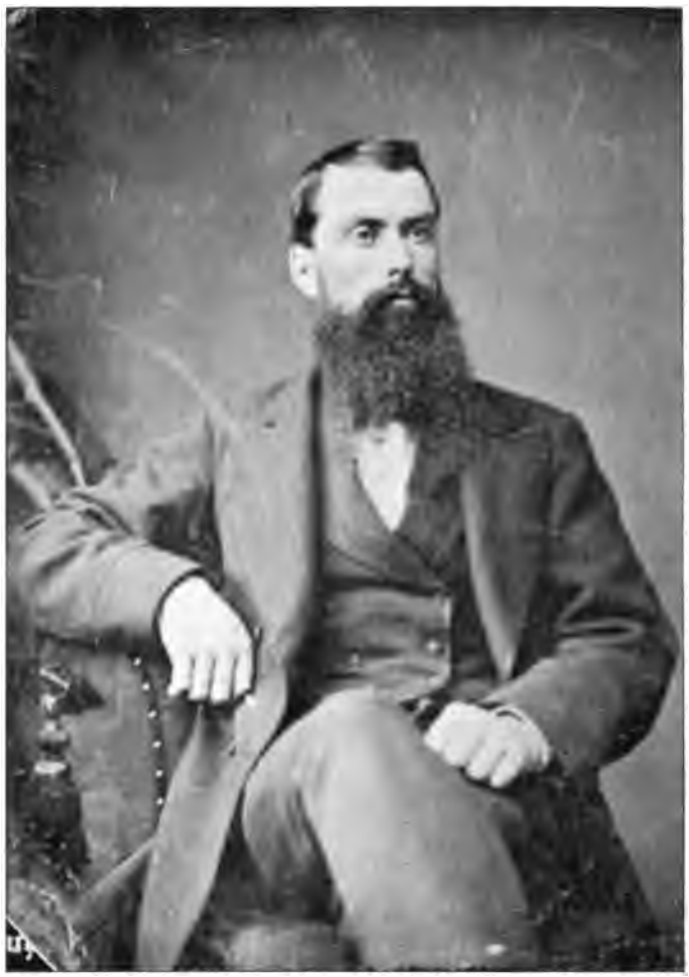
CHARLES BLANCHARD WHIDDEN, Ex-M. P. P., Antigonish, N. S., was born there, June 5th, 1831. He is the youngest son of Rev. John B. Whidden, born in Stewiacke, N.S., and Harriet E. Symonds, of New Hampshire. Mr. Whidden was educated at the Grammar School and Academy, Antigonish. Spent some years on his father's farm, went into business in 1863, in which he still continues with his son Charles Edgar. In politics, Mr. Whidden is a Conservative, and represented Antigonish County in the Local House, from 1882 to 1886. In religion, he is a Baptist. He was married December 18th, 1856, to Miss Eunice C. Graham, who died in 1889, leaving three sons, David Graham, Charles Edgar and Howard Primrose; the latter is a Baptist minister in Manitoba. In October 15th, 1890, he married Miss E. Harris.

EDWARD CAVANAGH, head of the firm of the Edward Cavanagh Company, Coal Dealers, Manufacturers and Importers of Oils, Montreal, was born March 8th, 1858, at Hemmingford, Que. He was educated in Montreal College. He then spent three years in a hardware establishment, and one year with the Montreal Rolling Mills Co. In April, 1881, he commenced business for himself, on Notre-Dame street, Montreal, where he remained one year, when he removed to the corner of Seigneurs and Notre-Dame streets, which are the largest wholesale and retail hardware premises in that city. His trade now extends throughout Eastern Canada and Ontario. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative. He is also a member of the C. O. F., I. O. O. F., National Alliance and C. M. B.A. He was married, in 1884, to Catherine Bowes.

ALEXANDER MARTIN, L. D. S., Ottawa, Ont., was born in 1846, at Brockville. His parents were Paul Martin, a British Army Sergeant, and Amable Leduc. Dr. Martin received his early education at Brockville common schools. From 1850-54, he travelled through America, taking part in athletic feats, and was champion fancy skater of America for a number of years. He had the honor of teaching and training in the art of fancy skating, the Princess Louise, and also the family of Lord Dufferin. In 1863, he began the study of dentistry, was qualified for practice in 1870, and has since practised in Ottawa. He has performed the dental work for the Governor-Generals since the time of Lord Lisgar, and has been dental surgeon for nearly all the Cabinet ministers for a number of years.

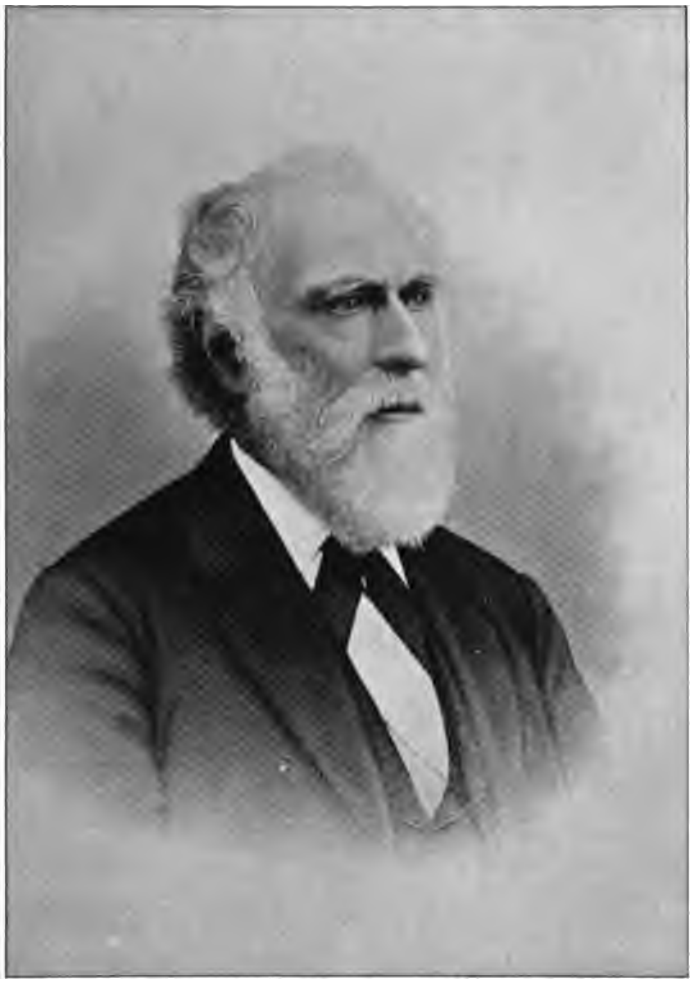
D. C. SIMON, General Insurance Agent and Collector of Provincial Revenue, Hull, Que., was born in 1841, at Ste. Martine, Que., of French parentage. He was educated at the schools of that place, and Huntingdon Academy. He afterwards was clerk in several large stores until 1860, when he removed to Hull, and accepted the position of paymaster and store manager for Mr. E. B. Eddy. Some years later, he, with Mr. Jas. Campbell, purchased the entire stock, and conducted a general trade for three years, when Mr. Simon built a large establishment, and began business on his own account. In 1881, he was appointed official assignee, and afterwards Clerk of the Circuit Court. Mr. Simon was married, in 1864, to Miss Philomène Fréchette, of Ottawa, a relative of the famous poet, Louis Fréchette.

NARCISSE LAPOINTE, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born at St. Michel de Bellechasse, Que., October 30th, 1849. His parents were Pierre and Emélie Lapointe. Mr. Lapointe was educated at the college in the village where he was born. He learned the trade of cabinet maker in the city of Quebec. He then spent six years in the cities of Boston and New York, working at this trade, after which he returned to Montreal. After working four years at his trade in that city, by industry and economy, he had accumulated sufficient means to start a business of his own, and commenced on his own account as grocer, and has now one of the most lucrative and successful trades in Montreal. Mr. Lapointe has been a member of the Retail Grocers' Association for eight years, and has held the position of director of the same. He was also one of the founders of the Alliance Nationale, of which he is a member, and is also a member and director of the Artisans' Benevolent Society. In religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church; in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Lapointe was married, in 1872, to Miss A. Verdun. His family consists of two sons and two daughters.



JOSEPH B. PORTER, Merchant, Andover, Victoria Co., N. B., was born at River de Chute, N. B., July 2nd, 1843. His parents were John and Ann (Hornbrook) Porter. He received his education in the schools of Victoria Co., and continued it at the High School, Presque Isle, Me. After leaving school, he took charge of the large lumber business of Chas. Clayton, of Ashland, and after remaining with him five years, went into business on his own account, as a contractor, and built the Scotch Colony, which was afterwards called Kincardine and Kintour, in the parish of Perth, Victoria Co. He then went into general mercantile and lumbering business at River de Chute, where he was also Postmaster for twenty years. He subsequently removed to Andover, where he has worked up a large trade. While in River de Chute, he built a very fine mill and shipped large quantities of lumber to New York and the British markets. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, and in politics, a Conservative. He is also a J. P., and a member of the Masonic Order. Mr. Porter was married, July 6th, 1871, to Annie M. daughter of George Baird, Bairdville, N. B. He has three children.

FRANK HAWKEN, Post Office Inspector for Ottawa District, was born Nov. 4th, 1847, at Roche, England. His parents were James and Elizabeth Hawken. When four years of age, Mr. Hawken came to this country with his parents, who settled in Ottawa, where he received his education at the public schools. At the age of thirteen, he entered the postal service, under the late Godfrey Phipps Baker, to temporarily perform the duties of an absent clerk, but with no intention of abandoning his studies at so early an age. Mr. Baker, however, taking a liking to his young assistant, persuaded his parents to allow him to remain. July 1st, 1867, the Government made the Ottawa Post Office a city office, and Mr. Hawken was then made a regularly appointed clerk in the civil service. He was promoted to the position of assistant postmaster, February 24th, 1873, and November 22nd, 1890, was appointed post office inspector, which office he still holds, and has discharged his duties with eminent satisfaction to the Government, the public and all concerned. At the time of the suspension of the postmaster and his assistant, at London, in 1880, Mr. Hawken was sent to take charge of that office, where he remained one month to adjust matters, and then returned to Ottawa and resumed his duties. In 1886, the Government of Newfoundland, being desirous of obtaining some information regarding postal work, to afford a more improved system, wrote to Sir Alex. Campbell, at that time postmaster general of Canada, asking him that one thoroughly familiar with post office work be sent to Newfoundland to instruct the authorities there in the proper way of carrying on the postal service. Mr. Hawken was chosen by him to perform this duty, and accordingly went to Newfoundland, remaining there three months, at the end of which time the government of that country recognized his valuable services. In religion, Mr. Hawken is a member of the Church of England. He is unmarried.



THE LATE HENRY FRANKLIN BRONSON, the pioneer Lumberman of Bytown, (now Ottawa), was born in Saratoga County, N. Y., February 24th, 1817. His parents were Alvah and Sarah (Tinker) Bronson. The Bronsons were among the earliest settlers in New England, and some of their descendants now occupy positions of honor and distinction in the Northern and New England States. Our subject spent his youth at Queensbury, Warren County, N. Y., and completed his education at Poultney Academy, Vt. In early life, he manifested a deep interest in the study of subjects pertaining to agriculture, and soon became well versed in agricultural pursuits. In 1840, he commenced lumbering operations in connection with Mr. John J. Harris, one of the well-known farmers and lumber merchants of New York State. They erected saw mills, purchased pine-lands on the banks of the Upper Hudson, and the partnership lasted for twenty-four years. In the summer of 1848, Mr. Bronson made a prospective tour of Canada, and striking the Ottawa Valley, he ascended it as far as Bytown. Here he saw a favorable spot for the manufacture of lumber, and in 1853, Messrs. Bronson & Harris cut the first lumber manufactured for the United States market, in the Ottawa Valley. This was the beginning of the great lumber traffic, now carried on under the style of the Bronsons & Weston Lumber Company, the products of which are sent to all parts of the world, and we may safely say that the wonderful industrial strides which Ottawa has made since 1850, are largely due to the enterprise of Henry F. Bronson. He was married, in 1840; Mrs. Bronson's maiden name being Editha E. Pierce, of Bolton, N. Y.. by whom he had four children. Mr. Bronson took no active part in political matters, but was very active in matters pertaining to education, and was for years president of the Board of Management of the Ottawa Ladies' College. He died in 1889, very deeply regretted by a large circle of friends and admirers.

REV. MICHAEL TOMPKINS, Parish Priest, Guysboro', N. S., was born June 29th, 1834, at Margaree, C. B. He is the son of the late Patrick Tompkins and Bridget Dunn, natives of Ireland, who came to this country, settling in Margaree, in 1830. Father Tompkins was educated at the Grammar School, Margaree, and continued his studies at St. François-Xavier College, Antigonish, and Laval University, Quebec. He was ordained to the priesthood, June 6th, 1865, by the Most Rev. Carolus F. Baillargeon, at Quebec, and immediately appointed to take charge of the parish of Guysboro', where he has remained ever since, a period of nearly thirty years. He has done good work for his church, building up a strong cause and winning the confidence of the entire community. He is a member of the Congreganiste, and in politics, favors the Conservative party, but does not take an active part in political matters, preferring to devote his full time to the building up of the work of his church in the parish to which he has been assigned.

JAMES HIRAM GRAY, M. D., Fairville, N. B., was born at Studholme, N.B., February 13th, 1843. His parents were both loyalists. He received his early education at the public and superior schools of Studholme, after which he entered the Baptist Seminary, Fredericton. He then taught school for several years. In 1871, he entered the medical department of the Michigan University, at Ann Arbor, and afterwards the College of Medicine and Surgery, Cincinnati, graduating M. D. from the latter in 1875. He then practised at Apohaqui, N. B., seven years, when he attended the London (England) Hospital. He returned to New Brunswick in 1883, and in 1887, located in Fairville. Dr. Gray was married, in 1883, to Mrs. Nellie McBride, of Westmoreland Co. He is an official member of the I. O. O. F., I. O. F., also a member of the Good Templars, New Brunswick and Maritime Provinces Medical Associations, St. John Medical Society, and Dominion Medical Association. In religion, he is a Baptist; in politics, a Conservative.

ROBERT DIXON KIRK, Merchant, Antigonish, N. S., was born there, April 1st, 1859. His parents were Adam and Ellen (Burnside) Kirk, the former being the founder of the business carried on under the firm name of A. Kirk & Co., at Antigonish, and St. Andrew's. He died July 31st, 1893, after having done a successful business, at Antigonish, for fifty-one years. Mr. Kirk was educated at St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish, also took a course at the British American Commercial College, Toronto. He became a partner of the firm in 1881. His father retired from active business in 1889, when his son Aubrey took his place, and is still a partner. During the years 1882-85, Mr. Kirk was treasurer of Antigonish Co. In religion, he is a Presbyterian; in politics, a Liberal. He is also a Mason.

JOHN R. CARSCADDEN, of the firm of Carscadden Bros., Woolen Manufacturers, Russell, Ont., was born in Russell Township, November 30th, 1850. His parents were Arthur Carscadden and Ann Purvis, Pioneers of Russell County, Mr. Carscadden received his education at the public schools, after which he spent four years learning the woolen business, at which he worked one year. He then conducted a general store in Russell four years, when he became manager of the Woolen Factory there, owned by S. A. Doran, for six years, and in 1881, with his brother Thomas, purchased the property, and started on their own account. They are the only woolen manufacturers in the county, and do a large business. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. Mr. Carscadden has been married twice, and has a family of four children.

ROBERT LOWREY MURRAY, M. D., Pictou, N. S., was born at Grand Narrows, C. B., in 1859. His parents were William and Jane Murray. Dr. Murray was educated in the public schools. He then spent some years in a newspaper office. He afterwards entered Dalhousie College, Halifax, and subsequently Halifax Medical College, graduating in medicine from the University of the City of New York. He was then house surgeon to Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, for two years, after which he located in Pictou, where he has since practised. Dr. Murray is a member of the I. O. O. F., and British and Pictou Medical associations, being vice-president of the latter. He takes no active part in political matters, but his sympathy is with the Liberal party. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. He is unmarried.

JOHN R. McLAURIN, General Merchant, etc., Vankleek Hill, Ont., was born January 24th, 1840, in Glengarry County. He received his education at the public schools, and when twenty years of age, went to California, where he remained two years. In 1865, he opened a general mercantile store, in Vankleek Hill, which, in March, 1893, was destroyed by fire, but he immediately rebuilt. He has taken a great interest in the promotion of railways in his section, and has always kept the prosperity of his community in view. In politics, Mr. McLaurin is a staunch and active Liberal. He has also been greatly interested in educational matters, having been school trustee for over twenty years, and chairman of the Board for ten years. In religion, he is a Baptist. He has been married twice, and has a family of seven children.

COLIN GREGOR O'BRIAN, Barrister, L'Orignal, Ont., was born May 23rd, 1861. He is the son of the well-known Judge O'Brian. Mr. O'Brian was educated at the schools of L'Orignal and Hawkesbury, and entered his father's office, in 1877, to study law. He was called to the Bar in 1883, and commenced to practise in connection with his father, under the firm name of O'Brian & O'Brian. This partnership lasted until the appointment of his father to the Bench, in 1889, when he formed a partnership with Mr. W. S. Hall, and became the head of the firm of O'Brian & Hall, in which capacity he has since continued. During his professional career, Mr. O'Brian has been engaged in the most important cases tried in the district, and in the majority of instances has come out of the contest victorious.

JOSEPH E. LLOYD, J. P., Warden of the Municipality of Shelburne, and Merchant, of Lockeport, N. S., was born May 1st, 1848, at that place. His parents were Isaac and Sarah D. Lloyd. Mr. Lloyd was educated at Shelburne Academy and Lockeport School. In 1877, he engaged in mercantile pursuits, in which he has since continued, and has been very successful in business. Mr. Lloyd is also postmaster of Lydgate, N.S., which is a short distance from Lockeport, and a member of the Masonic Order, and is universally respected. In politics, he is a Liberal, but does not take an active part in political affairs. In religion, he is a Baptist. Mr. Lloyd was married, in 1881, to Miss Eldora S. Arnold, daughter of Capt. John B. Arnold. His family consists of seven children, four sons and three daughters.

JOHN FRASER, County Treasurer, L'Orignal, Ont., was born September 29th, 1840, in the Township of Caledonia. He is mainly self-educated, having only attended the public school for a short period. The year 1859, found him in the lumber woods of Quebec, where he remained four years, and then started up the Ottawa River, carrying on lumbering operations for Joshua Smith, Esq. He then clerked for James P. Wells, Vankleek Hill, nine years, and upon the appointment of Mr. Wells to the shrievalty of the counties of Prescott and Russell, Mr. Fraser was retained as deputy sheriff. He was appointed deputy clerk of the Crown, and county treasurer, in 1880. In politics, he is a Liberal, and in religion a Presbyterian. He was married, June 7th, 1875, to Miss Annie M. Phillips, of Virginia, U. S. A.

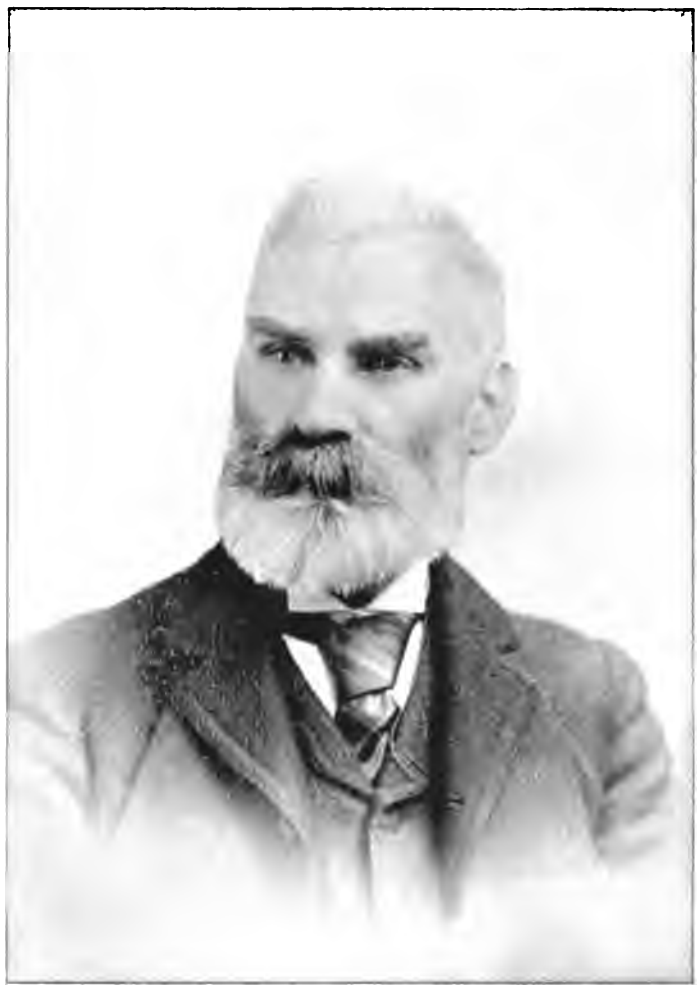
JOSEPH J. MACKIE, Notary Public, Revising Officer of Compton County, Deputy Registrar, Cookshire, Que., was born December 20th, 1844, in the parish of St. Pie, Bagot County, Que. After a thorough study of French and English in leading educational institutions, he studied privately, successfully passing the examination before the Board of Notaries, September 16th, 1868, and began to practise his profession that same year, in Cookshire. He is one of the most able and highly esteemed men in the notarial profession in the townships, and has a deservedly large and lucrative practice. Is a strong believer in Conservative principles, but owing to his different public positions, does not take an active part in politics. He was married, April 12th, 1868, to Miss Clothilde Lantagne, of Stukely, Que.

WALTER PAUL, Merchant, Montreal, was born September 3rd, 1838, in the Parish of Killearn, Stirlingshire, Scotland. His parents were John and Margaret (Moir) Paul. Mr. Paul was educated in the parish school of Killearn, after which he entered, in the city of Glasgow, the grocery business; and since coming to Montreal, has become one of the best known merchants there. He is a member of St. Andrew's Society, a life member of Caledonian Society, a member of the Board of Trade, Montreal, also a Justice of the Peace for the county of Hochelaga and district of Montreal. In politics, Mr. Paul is a Liberal-Conservative. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and now holds the offices of elder, manager, trustee, superintendent of Sabbath School, etc., etc. He is also vice-president of the Quebec branch of the Dominion Alliance. He has been married twice: first, in May, 1869, to Miss Bell, of Montreal, and second, in July, 1884, to Miss Henderson, of Quebec. His family consists of four sons and two daughters.

GEORGE W. OLIVER, L. D. S., Montreal, Quebec, was born at Dunham, Que., June 22nd, 1873. His father's name is James Oliver, a cheese exporter, now living in Montreal, who is the son of William Oliver, who came from Scotland, and located in Montreal, carrying on business as a lumber dealer. His mother's maiden name was Abbey Brown. Our subject received his early education in Montreal High School, which he attended for eight years, matriculating in dentistry in 1890. He spent three sessions in the medical department of McGill College, and two years in the Dental College of Quebec, graduating in May, 1894, with the degree of L. D. S., being the youngest member of the class, and one of three succeeding out of a class of twelve. He has the honor of being the youngest member practising dentistry in Quebec Province, and has already succeeded in establishing a most lucrative patronage. In religion, Mr. Oliver is a member of the Church of England; in politics, a supporter of the Conservative party.

WILLIAM CHARLES MIKEL, Barrister, Belleville, senior member of the firm of Mikel & Roberts, was born at Belleville, March 3rd, 1866. His father was William Young Mikel, a native of Prince Edward Co., while his mother, who died in February, 1893, was a daughter of the late Captain Wilson, a retired British officer, who came from County Cavan, Ireland, and settled in Prince Edward Co. Mr. Mikel was educated at the public and high schools of Belleville and the Albert College of that city. He received his legal training in the offices of Bell & Biggar, Flint & Sherry, and the late Geo. D. Dickson, Q. C., Belleville, and was called to the Bar in Hilary term, 1890. In July of that year, he became the partner of Mr. Dickson. The health of the latter giving out, however, the business devolved upon Mr. Mikel, who made his first appearance in court, at the Belleville assizes, in September, 1890, where he scored a great success, and is now a leading counsel of the city. He took an active part in organizing the County of Hastings Law Library Association, of which he was the first secretary. Mr. Mikel has taken an active part in political affairs, being one of the organizers of the Young Men's Conservative Association, in which he has held the office of secretary, and is now vice-president. During election campaigns, his voice is heard in Belleville and neighboring ridings, with great effect for his party. He has also held the commissions of 2nd lieutenant, lieutenant and captain, in the 15th Battalion Argyle Light Infantry, and during the Riel Rebellion, his company was. for several weeks, under orders to be ready to go to the North-West. Mr. Mikel sat in the City Council as alderman, in 1892, and was afterwards offered nomination for mayor, but declined. In religion, he is a member of the Presbyterian Church. He is also a director of the Belleville Young Men's Christian Association, and holds the office of Past Master in the Masonic Order.

JAMES ALEXANDER CANTLIE, Wholesale Woolen and Commission Merchant, was born June 5th, 1836, in the parish of Mortlach, Banffshire, Scotland. He is the son of Francis Cantlie and Mary Stuart. He was educated at the Mortlach parish school, and commenced the dry goods business, in 1854, in Aberdeen. Mr. Cantlie came to Montreal, in May, 1863, entering the employ of Messrs. Wm. Stephen & Co., as commercial traveller. He was afterwards buyer for the firm, until they retired. In 1868, he commenced his present business in partnership with Wm. Stephen and Alexander Ewan, under the style of Jas. A. Cantlie & Co. His partners retired after a time, but Mr. Cantlie has continued under the same name. In 1859, he joined the 1st Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteer corps, and afterwards, the Victoria Rifle corps, in Montreal, in 1863. He is a member of the Dominion Commercial Travellers' Association, of which he has been director, vice-president and president. He is also president of the Dominion Transport Company, vice-president of the Cobourg Woolen Company, managing-director of the Almonte Knitting Company, and a local director, in Montreal, of the Confederation Life Association. He is also a governor of the Montreal General and Western hospitals, a member of St. James' Club and of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club. He was married, May 10th, 1866, to Eleonora Simpson Stephen, sister of Lord Mount-Stephen, and second daughter of the late Wm. Stephen. His family consists of four sons and one daughter. Mr. Cantlie was elected to the Council of the Montreal Board of Trade in 1890, serving for two years on the Council, also one year as 2nd vice-president, and two years as 1st vice-president. He was a member of the building committee of the Montreal Board of Trade new building, from its inception until completion. January, 1895, he was elected president of the Montreal Board of Trade, a post of the highest honor. In religion, he is a Presbyterian; in politics, a Conservative.



REV. JAMES CORMACK, B. A., Pastor of Maxville Presbyterian Church, was born January 29th, 1852, at Wick, Caithness, Scotland. He is a son of John Cormack and Jessie Sutherland. Mr. Cormack was educated at Kingston Grammar School, preparatory to an arts course, in Queen's University. He entered the latter institution in 1868, graduating with the degree of B. A., in 1872. He studied theology there also, and was ordained, August, 1876. His first pastoral charge was Harrowsmith, Ont., where he served two years, when he went to Edinburgh University, and spent one year in the study of divinity. Returning to Canada, in 1879, he was subsequently stationed at Alexandria, Ont., and Lachine, Que., but in 1887, on account of ill health, spent one year on the Pacific Coast. He returned to Ontario the following year, and was called to Maxville Presbyterian Church, where he has since labored with great success. Mr. Cormack married, June, 1887, Miss Flora Shibley, of Portland, a descendant of U. E. Loyalists.

ROBERT HENRY COLSTON BROWNE, Collector of Customs, Barrie, Ont., was born October 8th, 1866, at Ottawa, Ont. His parents were Robt. H. and Mary A. Browne, the former now holding a position in the Crown Lands Department, Toronto. Mr. Browne received his education in the Toronto Model School, and under Dr. Tessie. He afterwards accepted a position in the Rathbun Co.'s offices, at Deseronto, but shortly afterwards returned to Toronto, starting business for himself as real estate, insurance and financial broker. In 1890, he entered the Toronto Custom House, and in the Fall of the same year, was sent to Barrie, as Collector of Customs. In politics, Mr. Browne is an active Conservative, having done good work for his party, both on the platform and by personal canvass. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England, has done considerable mission and other work in connection with his denomination, and hopes in the near future to enter into the active work of the ministry, for which he is admirably adapted.

FREDERICK JOHN ALEXANDER, Architect, of Ottawa, Ont., was born September 25th, 1849, at Pewsey, Wiltshire, England. He was educated at a private Grammar school, at Devizes, Wiltshire. At the age of sixteen, he commenced the study of architecture, under J. W. Reed, architect, London, Eng., remaining with him nearly three years. He subsequently studied with Messrs. Lander & Bedells, London, with whom he completed his studies. In 1870, he came to Toronto, Ont., and entered the service of Messrs. Langley, Langley & Burks, architects, remaining with them about one year, until he received the appointment of assistant on the staff of the chief architect of the Public Works Department of the Dominion, where he worked for over six years, during which period he designed and superintended the construction of the interior fittings of the Library of Parliament, also the inclosures and wrought iron gates to the Parliament Grounds, etc. In 1877, he left Canada, and proceeded to Pietermaritzburg, Natal, South Africa, where he carried on business successfully in his profession prior to and during the Zulu and Boer Wars. The great depression in business following these wars led to his return to Ottawa, in 1886, where he was well and favorably known. Since that time, he has been there in private practice, during which time he has, in addition to many private dwellings, designed and constructed, at Ottawa, the offices of the Union Bank of Canada and the Ottawa Gymnasium. He is a member of the Ontario Association of Architects, and at the Annual Convention of 1895, was elected a member of the council of this association. He takes no active part in political affairs, but favors all measures tending to promote the unity of the British Empire. He was married, in 1878, to Lucretia A. J., eldest daughter of Wm. A. Austin, C. E., Chief Surveyor to the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa. His family consists of two sons and six daughters, living.

DR. GEO. HODGINS GROVES, Carp, Ont., was born in Fitzroy, Carleton County, Ont, June 6th, 1851. His parents were Richard and Ann (Hodgins) Groves, natives of Ireland, who came to Canada in 1834. After residing in Prescott, Ont., three years, they settled in Fitzroy, being pioneer settlers of that township. Dr. Groves received his early education in the public school, and took a private course for matriculation with the Rev. Benjamin Franklin, B. A. He also obtained a first-class certificate at Richmond, for the County of Carleton, at the age of eighteen, and taught school for six years, being principal of the Carp Public School for three years of that time. He then entered McGill University, Montreal, graduating M. D., C. M., M. C. P. S. O., in 1879. He began practice in Carp, and has been eminently successful. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity, holding full membership in the Almonte and Richmond lodges, and is Past High Physician in the I. O. F. He has been District Master for March and Huntley in the Orange Order, is a member of the Scarlet Chapter and Royal Black Preceptory of Ireland, is a Past Preceptor of Carp R. B. P., No. 305, and has obtained the Red Cross Certificate from the Grand Lodge of Ireland. He is president of the Liberal-Conservative Association of North Lanark, and was nominated for the Commons in 1882, but declined the honor. He was married, September 12th, 1883, to Miss Fanny Monk, eldest daughter of G. W. Monk, M. P. P., for Carleton County, for twenty-three years. Mrs. Groves died October 8th, 1893. Dr. Groves' family consists of one son, Osler Monk Groves. The Doctor was a director of the Central Canada Exhibition of Ottawa, and has been president of the Huntley Agricultural Society for twelve years. He is a mem- of the Bathurst and Rideau Medical Association, of which he was vice-president for a number of years, also a member of the Dominion Medical Association. In religion, he is a Methodist.

CAMERON BROWN, Editor and Managing-Director of the Belleville Sun Printing and Publishing Company (Limited), was born February 3rd, 1870, in Hamilton, Ont. His father, James Brown (of Scottish descent), was a native of County Down, Ireland, while his mother, Anna J. Cameron, was a Scotch Canadian. Mr. Brown was educated at Hamilton and Fort Erie public schools, afterwards entering Hamilton Collegiate Institute, where he matriculated. He then spent five years with the Hamilton *Times* as printer, proof reader, etc. In 1888, he engaged with the London *Advertiser*, as reporter, and one year later, became city editor of the same. In June, 1891, he became night editor of the Toronto *Globe*, which position, he left in September, 1894, and established *The Belleville Sun*, an independent journal, eight pages daily, twelve pages weekly. In January, 1895, *The Sun* was reorganized into a Joint Stock Co., with Mr. Brown, as managing-director and editor. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. He is also a member of Camp Rob Roy, S. O. S., and of the A. F. & A. M. Mr. Brown was married, in 1893, to Margaret Ross, daughter of the Hon. Geo. W. Ross.

JOSEPH ALEXANDER HUDON, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born at St. Césaire, Rouville County, Que., July 2nd, 1836. His parents were V. Hudon and Marie Godard, of French descent and well-known residents of the county of Rouville. Mr. Hudon received his education at St. Anne de la Pocatière College. After completing his studies, he acted as clerk in his father's mercantile establishment until he was twenty-nine years of age. In 1865, he started business with Messrs. C. P. Hébert, and A. S. Hermelin, under the name of Jos. Hudon & Co. In the year 1883, one of the firm, A. S. Hermelin, withdrew, when Mr. Hudon and Mr. Hébert, in connection with two other partners continued the business under the firm name of Hudon, Hébert & Co. At the expiration of ten years, in 1893, two of Mr. Hébert's sons were admitted, the firm continuing under the same name. The firm of Hudon, Hébert & Co., has become well known throughout the city of Montreal, and for the position it holds in the mercantile world, much credit is due to the enterprise of its senior partner. In religion, Mr. Hudon is a Roman Catholic; in politics, gives his support to the Conservative party.

THE HONORABLE ERSKINE HENRY BRONSON, M.P.P., President of the Bronsons & Weston Lumber Company, Limited, Ottawa, was born at Bolton, Warren County, N. Y., September 12th, 1844. He is the eldest son of the late Henry F. Bronson, whose portrait and history appear in this volume. Our subject received his education at the Public and High schools, Ottawa, and studied for some time at Sandy Hill, N. Y. In 1867, he was admitted to his father's business, becoming a partner in the firm, and on the death of his father, in 1889, became president and general manager. In addition to his extensive business responsabilities, Mr. Bronson has always taken an active and influential part in educational and political affairs. He served the city as alderman, from 1871 to 1877, and while chairman of the Finance Committee, prepared an act for the consolidation of the City Debt, reducing the tax from 2 to 1½ per cent., and secured its passing in the Ontario Legislature, during the session of 1878. In politics, he is a staunch Reformer. During election campaigns, in Ottawa and surrounding country, he is a powerful factor in the carrying of constituencies for his party. He was first elected to the Legislature at the General Elections of 1886, and again in 1890 and 1894, he was returned by overwhelming majorities. Mr. Bronson was appointed to a seat in the Cabinet, August, 1890. He will doubtless prove one of the most useful public men of the Province. His splendid business ability, and his generous nature, are qualities which at once stamp him as a distinguished character, and place him among the most popular liberals of the country. In religion, he is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and holds various offices in the church with which he is connected, at Ottawa. Mr. Bronson was married, in 1874, to Ella, daughter of Professor Webster, a well-known educationist of Virginia, and a former resident of Ottawa. His family consist of one son and one daughter.

JOHN ADAM ALBERT REINHOLD HARVEY, J. P., C. E., Notary Public and Patent Solicitor, Ottawa, was born August 31st, 1845, in Cabarz, in Cobourg Gotha, Germany. Our subject was educated in the common school of his native place, and afterwards prepared for the polytechnic in the technical schools of Waltershausen and Gotha, which he entered in 1861. He studied in the polytechnic three years, graduating as C. E., in 1864. He then acted for some years as assistant under various architects and engineers, in Germany and England, and as chief draughtsman in important machinery works. In early life, he commenced the study of patent law, and qualified himself by private study for this profession, which he followed in England, in connection with civil engineering. In the Fall of 1881, he came to Canada, intending to follow agriculture, but on arriving here, abandoned his original intention and settled in Ottawa, becoming draughtsman and confidential clerk for a firm of patent solicitors of that city. In 1883, he formed a partnership with another patent solicitor, and remained with him a little over a year. In May, 1884, he commenced on his own responsibility, has since carried on a large practice, and is now at the top of his profession. In 1886, he qualified for the notarial profession and passed his examination, admitting him to practice. He was made a J. P. for Carleton County, in 1889, and his services as a justice have been more eagerly sought after by the legal profession and private litigants than has been altogether agreeable to the *Judge*. Mr. Harvey has also some note as a journalist, having been editor of *The Patent Review* for five years, and author of several articles on patent law, which attracted wide-spread attention. In politics, Mr. Harvey is a Liberal; in religion, a member of the Lutheran Church. He was married, in 1868, to Miss Augusta Rauch, of Gotha. His family consists of one son, Bruno, who manages his office.

JULIUS LICHTENSTEIN, Photographer and Manufacturer of Moulding, Patterns and Solar Prints for the trade, Charlottetown, P. E. I., was born August 18th, 1866, in Pucho, Komitat of Trenscin, Austria, Hungary. His father is Leopold Lichtenstein, while his mother's maiden name was Fannie Haas. The former is a very influential and representative citizen of his district, and for many years was a prominent manufacturer, but now retired. Mr. Lichtenstein was educated in States Gymnasium of Pressburg, and worked with his father until he came to the United States. Here he exercised his skill in completing the electric solar printing enlargements, which was at that time in its infancy. At the same time, he was engaged in the manufacture of mouldings, in New York city, and has recently established a branch in Canada. In politics, he is a supporter of the Liberal party. Mr. Lichtenstein left his native land, because he did not believe in the tactics of the nobility, having thoroughly democratic views.

JOHN J. CAMERON, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, Antigonish, N. S., was born at Salt Springs, Antigonish County, August 14th, 1861. His parents were John and Isabella Cameron. His paternal great-grandfather, the sire of Right Rev. John Cameron, D. D., Bishop of Antigonish, came to Antigonish from Scotland, where he became well known and highly respected. Dr. Cameron was educated in the Common School of Antigonish, after which he entered St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish. In 1883, he left college to take the principalship of St. Mary's High School, Halifax, where he remained three years, having prior to this taught in other schools. He studied medicine in Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, where he graduated in 1889, since which time he has been actively engaged in practising his profession in Antigonish. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, an active Conservative. Dr. Cameron married, Sept. 8th, 1892, Eva youngest daughter of Justice McDonald, of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia.

GEORGE ALEXANDER BERWICK, M. D., C. M., Montreal, was born at Farnham, Que., March 5th, 1864. His parents were David and Isabella (Miller) Berwick. Dr. Berwick was educated at Stanstead College, where he matriculated in Arts, in 1886. He then spent two years on his arts course at McGill University, and in October, 1888, commenced the study of medicine at this Institution, graduating, with first-class honors, in 1892. After completing his course, he spent six months in the Maternity Hospital, and six months in the General Hospital, Montreal. In 1893, he began private practice in that city, and has already worked up a large connection. Dr. Berwick is a member of the I. O. O. F. and C.O.F., being examining physician for his court in the latter. In politics, he is a Conservative; in religion, a Presbyterian.

S. J. DAWSON, ex-M. P. for Algoma, born in Scotland, and came to Canada when a boy. Is a civil engineer, and was sent by the Government in 1857, with a formidable staff of engineers and scientists, under his orders, to explore the regions of the North-West. His official reports were the first to show the importance of these territories. The "Dawson Route," is named after him, and, on the outbreak of disturbances in the Red River Settlement, he, as chief engineer, in charge thereof, provided suitable means of transportation, and in 1870, conveyed over it a large military force for the suppression of the insurrection. Mr. Dawson has, since then, been 16 years in public life, having been returned as the representative of Algoma, once for the Legislature of Ontario, and three successive times for Dominion Parliament.

BENJ. BATSON, Collector of Customs, Ottawa, was born March 20th, 1832, in New Brunswick. After receiving his education, he was employed in a mercantile establishment in P. E. I. He afterwards learned telegraphy which business he followed for a time. In 1852 he entered the employ of the Government Crown Timber Office, and subsequently the Union Forwarding & Ry. Co. He then entered the service of the Hudson's Bay Co., and was stationed at different posts, from Nepigon Lake to Bersimiss on the Lower St. Lawrence. He afterwards formed a partnership with the late Ruggles Wright, jr., of Hull, for the manufacture of timber and sawn lumber, the firm name afterwards changing to Wright, Batson & Couries, and subsequently Batson & Couries. Mr. Batson was made Collector of Customs, 1894.

HENRY WRIGHT DAY, M. D., F. R. C. S. K., Registrar of Hastings County, Belleville, Ont., was born September 6th, 1831, near Kingston. He was educated at Newburgh Academy and Queen's University, Kingston, graduating M. D., in 1859. He then practised his profession at Trenton, Ont., for over 30 years. In 1869, he was elected a member of the Medical Council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, was made vice-president in 1883, and president in 1884. While in Trenton, he held the offices of councillor and mayor. In politics, he is a Reformer. He was appointed registrar of Hastings County, in 1891, and has since resided in Belleville. He organized the Garrison Artillery in 1866, resigning, in 1884, with rank of major. He was married, in 1857, to Eliza Ann Purdy.

ALBERT DUMONT, L. D. S., Surgeon Dentist, Montreal, was born August 26th, 1872, in that city. He was educated at the Christian Brothers' School, St. Laurent College and the Jesuits' College, Montreal. He afterwards learned shorthand, and became a professor to over 100 students. He was also a correspondent of two shorthand journals in France, and a representative for two years of "L'Alliance Sténographique de France." In 1890, he commenced the study of dentistry, graduating in April, 1894. He afterwards graduated at the Chicago College of Dental Surgery, and passed a successful examination in the post graduate course of prosthetic dentistry. In 1893, he founded the Dental Student Association, of which he was president for one year. He has a large practice in Montreal.

SÉRAPHIN GAUTHIER, M. D., Montreal, was born there, October 5th, 1832. He was educated at Montreal College, afterwards studying medicine, graduating M. D., in 1864. After practising in Montreal for one year, he was in partnership with Dr. D'Orsanes, for five years. In 1870, he visited London, Eng., and Paris, France, prosecuting researches in his profession. He afterwards practised in Boston, Worcester and Springfield, U. S. A. In 1880, he returned to Canada and practised with his son at Upton, Que., until 1883, when he located in Montreal. In politics, the Doctor is a Liberal; in religion, a Roman Catholic. He was married, in 1854, to Phœbe Lyons of Manchester, Eng. His family consists of four sons and five daughters. Two of his sons are physicians, one a civil engineer, and one a merchant.

JAMES E. WALMSLEY, Wholesale Grocer, Belleville, was born near Picton, Ont., January 10th, 1854. He is a son of Andrew Walmsley and Harriet Walters. He was educated in the school at Bloomfield, after which he went to Napanee and engaged in the grocery business with W. R. McRae, afterward removing to Belleville with him, and remaining in his employ ten years. He then engaged in the retail business, but in 1892, embarked in the wholesale. In 1891, 92, and 93, he was alderman of the city, was elected mayor in 1894, and by acclamation in 1895. In religion, Mr. Walmsley is a Methodist; in politics, a staunch Conservative. He is a captain in the 15th Batt. A. L. I., also a member of the I. O. O. F., A. O. U. W., I. O. F. and Masonic Order. In 1882, he married Ellen Snell. He has two children.

JEAN JOSEPH BEAUCHAMP, B. C. L., Q.C., Montreal, was born there, Jan. 18th, 1852. After completing his classical course, he was professor of French, at Terrebonne College, and afterwards of mathematics at the Jesuit College, Montreal. He graduated from Quebec Military School, and was Capt. of No. 3, Co. 65th Batt. four years. He took his B. C. L. in 1878, and was admitted to the Bar in 1879. For three years, he was editor of *Bulletin de l' Union Allet*, and for five years of *Third Order Review*. He is author of "The Jurisprudence of the Privy Council," of "Le Répertoire de la Revue Légale," and editor in chief of *La Revue Légale*, a Montreal monthly. He is also senior partner of the firm of Beauchamp & Bruchesi, and revising barrister for Hochelaga. He was made Q. C. in 1893. He married Maria E. Décary.

J. K. FORAN, Lit. D., LL. B., editor of the Montreal *True Witness*, was born at Aylmer, Que., in 1857. His father, John Foran, was one of the most prominent lumber merchants of the Ottawa Valley, and his mother was a lady of high standing in Ireland. She was connected prior to her marriage, with the *Ladies' Literary Journal* of Philadelphia. Dr. Foran entered St. Joseph's College, Ottawa (the present university), in 1867, graduating in 1877. The same year, he went to Laval University, Que., to study law, subsequently spending three years in the office of Messrs. Andrews, Caron & Andrews. In 1880, he graduated LL.B. He practised his profession until 1883, when ill-health compelled him to retire from sedentary work. He then spent two years in the woods of the North, returning in 1886, to enter the political and literary arenas. During two years he acted as secretary to the Speaker of the House of Commons. In 1891, he was asked to take charge of *The True Witness*, the only Catholic organ in the English language in the Province of Quebec, and he has since brought this paper to the front rank of Catholic journals in America. During the past fifteen years, or more, Dr. Foran has contributed poems essays and other articles to the Canadian and American press. He has delivered over 100 lectures in Canada, and a countless number of addresses. He has written several works, and has now in press a volume of his poems and lyrics. Recently, the University of Ottawa conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Letters, and his address on that occasion, was pronounced by a judge of the Supreme Court, the most eloquent he had ever heard, while the Governor-General declared that, for composition and delivery, it was the finest masterpiece he had heard for years. He was married, in January, 1892, to Miss Louisa Davis, eldest daughter of Mr. Edwin Davis, formerly of Ottawa. On issuing one of his volumes of poems, he gives much of the credit to his talented wife.

ALBERT COLBEY SMITH, M. P. P., of the firm of A. C. Smith & Co., Commission and Produce Merchants, Carleton, St. John, N. B., was born at Blissville, Sunbury County, N. B., March 10th, 1844. His parents were Benjamin Smith and Amelia Clark, natives of New Brunswick. They were of U. E. Loyalist stock, their ancestors having come from the State of Connecticut, U. S. A. His paternal great grandfather was an officer in the British Army, and fought in the Revolutionary War. Mr. Smith received his early education at the Common and Superior schools of Sunbury County, after which he continued his studies at the Normal School, St. John. After graduating from that institution, he taught school at different places in New Brunswick, for seven years. In 1876, he commenced business in St. John, as commission merchant, and now does a very extensive trade in all parts of the Dominion, as well as in the Old Land. Mr. Smith has always taken a great interest in the municipal affairs of St. John, and was elected alderman for that city in 1883, and remained a member of the Council until 1890, being elected on most occasions by acclamation. In 1890, he was nominated a candidate to represent the city of St. John, in the Provincial Legislature, and was returned by a large majority. He was again the successful candidate at the General Elections of 1892, his colleagues being Dr. Stockton, Dr. Alward and Mr. W. Shaw. In politics, he is a staunch Liberal-Conservative, and is an able exponent of the principles of that party. Mr. Smith was married, on the 3rd of April, 1866, to Miss Sarah E. Boone, daughter of William Holland Boone, Esq., of Fredericton, N. B., of U. E. Loyalist stock. His family consists of two children, one son and one daughter, living. Mr. Smith belongs to the Free Masons, Good Templars and Odd Fellows. In religion, he is a prominent member of the Free Christian Baptist Church, being one of the deacons and trustees.

REV. HENRY DESPARD DE BLOIS, Round Hill, N. S., was born at Halifax, October 13th, 1831, and is descended from Stephen, Count of Blois, formerly King of England. He was educated at Halifax Grammar School, and at King's College, Windsor, where he graduated with honors. He was principal of the Annapolis Academy for four years, ordained deacon in 1853, and priest in 1854. His first charge was Bridgewater, where he built the first Episcopal Church, and also held the office of commissioner of schools, after which he ministered at Albion Mines and Granville, was then Missionary on the Liverpool Road, then rector of Bridgetown, and from there, came to his present charge, where he is also rural dean of the counties of Annapolis and Digby. He has also taken a prominent part in the cause of education, temperance and masonry. He is the author of several works, among which are "Leaves from my Journal," "Rambles in the West Indies," "The Inner Life," "The Birds of the Air and the Lilies of the Field," etc., etc.

ALEX. H. McGILLIVRAY, Barrister and Q. C., Guysborough, N. S., was born, in 1844, in Dunmaglass, Antigonish County, N. S. His parents were Hugh McGillivray and Catharine McDonald. Mr. McGillivray was educated at St. François-Xavier College, Antigonish, after which he began the study of law. He passed his examinations with credit, and was admitted to the Bar, and at once opened an office in Guysboro', where he still continues, standing high in the estimation of the profession and public. In 1890, he was created a Q. C. In religion, Mr. McGillivray is a member of the Roman Catholic Church, president of the League of the Sacred Heart Society. He has also taken an active interest in municipal affairs, and is at present clerk of the Council for the municipality of Guysboro', and revising officer for the county of Guysboro'. He was married, November 26th, 1875, to Anna C. Smith, daughter of the late Captain Joseph Smith, of Antigonish. His family consists of two sons and one daughter.

GRANVILLE C. CUNINGHAM, M.I.C. E., Montreal, was born in Scotland, where he learned his profession. After being engaged in various engineering enterprises in the Old Land, in 1870, he went to Honduras, Central America, taking charge of part of the survey of a trans-continental railway. He had charge of the construction of the Wellington, Grey & Bruce, the preliminary surveys for the C. P. R., west of Winnipeg, of the P. E. I. Railway, etc. He was then sollicitor of the Canada Southern Railway, and subsequently chief engineer of that line. In 1889, he was appointed assistant city engineer of Toronto, afterwards city engineer; in 1892, chief engineer of the Montreal Street Ry., in 1893, manager of the same. He is a member of the Institution of C. E., London, the C. S. C. E., and a Fellow of R. C. S. E.

WM. BORTHWICK, Mayor of the city of Ottawa, was born near that city, in 1848, where he received a good education. His first experience in business, was as clerk in a grocery establishment. In the winter of 1868, he proceeded to California, where he remained three years and a half. In 1872, he returned to Ottawa, and commenced in the grocery trade, in which he has since been engaged. In 1887, he was elected alderman for St. George's Ward, and during 1890 and 91, acted as chairman of the Fire and Light Committee of the City Council. Having done good work in this position, he was elected to the honorable position of mayor, in January, 1895, an office for which he is fully qualified. Mr. Borthwick was married, in 1870, to Miss Jane Blyth. His family consist of four sons and five daughters.

REV. J. C. BORTH, Pastor of the German Lutheran Church, Ottawa, was born, September 20th, 1856, at Berlin, Ont. He was educated at the common and grammar schools, of that town, and Concordia College, Ft. Wayne, Ind., where he studied the higher branches, receiving his diploma in 1875. He then studied theology at Concordia University, St. Louis, Mo., and graduated, 1878. He accepted a call to a charge of three congregations, viz.: Floradale, Salem and Linwood, Ont., and was installed there, August 4th, 1878. In 1881, he accepted a second and urgent call to Ottawa, where he has since labored. He is a member of the Ev. Luth. Synod of Missouri, Ohio, and other states, and was secretary of the Canada District Synod many years, and is now supt. of the charges in Eastern Ontario and Quebec.

LOUIS AUDET LAPOINTE, Montreal, was born at Contrecœur, Que., May 16th, 1860. He was educated at Masson and Varennes colleges, afterwards taking a course in the Montreal Business College, having removed with his father to that City, in 1871. After finishing his education, he was engaged as bookkeeper with Villeneuve & Lacaille, wholesale merchants, until 1880. In 1882, he commenced his present business, in addition to which he carries on a real estate and account office, and is expert and valuator in expropriation matters for the corporation of the city of Montreal. He has taken a prominent part in the Montreal Swimming Club, Licensed Victuallers' Association, the Fish and Game Club of the Chenal du Moine and Saint Jean Baptiste Society. In politics, he is a staunch Liberal.

VEN. THOMAS BEDFORD-JONES, LL. D., D. C. L., was born in Cork, Ireland, January 16th, 1830. He was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, and Queen's College, Cork; ordained deacon in 1855, and priest the same year. In 1856, he became curate of St. Peter's, Cork; in 1857, surrogate of the diocese, and afterwards was chaplain of the District Lunatic Asylum. In 1862, he came to Canada, and was first a missionary at Kitley, Ont.; in 1865, he founded the second parish in Ottawa, and built the Church of St. Alban the Martyr. In 1881, he was appointed Archdeacon of Kingston, Rector of Napanee. In 1874, he was made canon and one of the bishop's examining chaplains and member of the corporation of Trinity University. Since 1890, he is rector of St. Peter's, Brockville, Ont.

LIEUT.-COL. WILLIAM HAYES JACKSON, Brockville, Ont., was born there, March 31st, 1828. In 1855, he assisted in organising the first company of active militia at Brockville, and was color-sergeant. In 1856, he was promoted to the rank of lieutenant; in 1861, captain; and in 1862, brigade major to the 8th brigade division. In 1860, he took a course of musketry instruction at Montreal, and obtained a first-class certificate. In 1864, he obtained a field officer's certificate. In 1868, in a competition, at Laprairie, with about 470 marksmen, he was awarded the bronze and gold medals of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association, with $500.00 added. In 1873, he was gazetted deputy adjutant-general, military district No. 4. During the Fenian troubles of 1866 and '70, and at the N. W. Rebellion, he saw active service.

JAMES WELLINGTON STAGG, Postmaster, Brockville, Ont., was born in Brockville, April 21st, 1854. His parents were John & Martha Stagg. Mr. Stagg was educated at the Victoria School, Brockville, and Victoria College, Cobourg. In 1872, he entered the Brockville Post Office, and was, for seven years, at the general delivery. In 1880, he was appointed deputy P. M., and filled that position until July 19th, 1894, when be became postmaster. Mr. Stagg is a member of the Masonic Order, also of the I. O. O. F., and has held offices in both societies. In religion, he is a Methodist. He has been an extensive traveller, having travelled all over Canada, the United States, and in 1890 made a tour through Europe, visiting England, Ireland, Scotland, France, Switzerland, Germany and Belgium.

ROBERT BOWIE, Brockville, Ont., was born March 3rd, 1840, in London, Eng. His parents were Allison & Martha Bowie. He was educated at the High School and Montreal College, Montreal. He learned the grocery business in Brockville, and afterwards travelled for a Montreal firm for seven years. He then went into the brewing and malting business, in Brockville, which he still continues, in company with his son. He was councillor of Brockville during the years 1875, 76, 77, 78, 82 and 83, and was elected mayor in 1884. Being instrumental in securing waterworks for the town, he was elected water commissioner in 1893. He has also been school trustee. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. He was married, Nov. 22nd, 1866, to Margaret E. McClean of Brockville. His family consists of six children.

REV. JOSEPH AUBIN, Parish Priest, Ste. Rose, Que., was born October 6th, 1840, at St. Jérôme, Terrebonne County. His parents were Télesphore Aubin and Angelique Cadieux. Father Aubin pursued his classical and theological studies at the Seminary of Ste. Thérèse, where he also taught for five years. He was made priest November 25th, 1866, after which he officiated at St. Janvier, St. Jérôme and Longueuil. From 1872 to 1880, he consecrated himself to the missions of the Eastern Townships, building a church and manse at St. Zénon de Piopolis, and at St. Philemon of Stoke. On account of ill health, he passed the year 1881, as chaplain at the convent of the Bon Pasteur, at St. Hubert. From 1882 to 1884, he was priest at St. Jean de Mattra, where he built a church and manse. From 1884 to 1892, he was at St. Esprit, Montcalm County, where he also built a manse and repaired the church, and in the latter year, was appointed parish priest of Ste. Rose, where he has also made extensive improvements.

JOHN D. HAMILL, L.D.S., Meaford, Ont., was born in the Township of Markham, York County, June 4th, 1856. His father, Samuel Hamill, was a miner, who went to California when our subject was a child, spending, at different times, about twenty-five years in that country. He died, at Aurora, May 11th, 1894. Dr. Hamill received his education at Aurora Public School and Brampton High School. When sixteen years of age, he learned the trade of machinist, at which he worked five years. He then entered the office of Dr. Willmott, to study dentistry, graduated in March, 1882, opened an office in Aurora, eighteen months later he removed to Meaford, where he has since remained. He was a member of the Council in Meaford, in 1889 and 1891, and has been on the High School Board, three years, and is at present chairman. He is also an official member of the A.F. & A.M., I.O.O.F., A.O.U.W. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, a Reformer. Dr. Hamill married, Oct. 18th, 1882, Allie Armstrong, of York Co.

WILLIAM H. COMSTOCK, head of the firm of The W. H. Comstock Company, Limited, Brockville, Ont., was born at Batavia, N. Y. He was educated at Flushing, N. Y., and on leaving school, commenced as clerk. He started business on his own account, in 1854. The W. H. Comstock Company, Limited, are the proprietors of Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills, Dead Shot Pellets and McKenzus Dead Shot Worm Candy. Two communities are benefitted by their factories, one at Morristown, N.Y., where the building covers an acre, and the Brockville Factory and the Comstock Block, which contain their handsomely fitted offices. Mr. Comstock's thorough energy and business ability, have brought it to its present high standard. He is one of the largest real estate owners of the town, and has filled the positions of mayor, councillor and school trustee. In politics, he is a Liberal, and twice ran for M. P., but was unsuccessful. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. In 1864, he married Josephine Elliott, and after her death, Miss Allie Gates, in 1893. He had one son and a daughter by his first marriage. The son died in May, 1891. His daughter married C. S. Cossitt, Esq.

ROBERT VICTOR SINCLAIR, Barrister and Solicitor, Ottawa, was born, May 24th, 1861, at Forestville, N.Y. His parents were Robert and Elizabeth Morrison (Colville) Sinclair. The former was a native of Scotland, and after coming to this country, was, for many years, employed in the Government service. His mother was the daughter of the late Dr. David Colville, of the Honorable East India Company's Service. Mr. Sinclair was educated at Ottawa Collegiate Institute, and in 1880, began the study of law, in the office of Stewart, Chrysler & Gormully. Here, he pursued his studies until May, 1885, when he was called to the Bar. He then formed a partnership with Mr. Gormully, and practised under the style of Gormully & Sinclair, until November, 1894, when he commenced on his own account. He is one of the most brilliant and popular of the younger members of the legal profession in Ottawa, and there is evidently before him a successful career. In politics, he is a supporter of the Conservative party; in religion, a member of the Church of England. Mr. Sinclair was married, in 1887, to Miss King, daughter of Jas. W. King, ex-M.P., of Windsor, N. S. He has two sons.

JOHN C. GLASHAN, Inspector of Public Schools, Ottawa, Ont., was born in 1844, in Ellon, Aberdeenshire, Scotland. His parents were Thomas Glashan, M.A., M.D., M.R. C.S., and Frances Stuart, who came to Canada in 1853, locating in Middlesex County, Ont. Here, our subject was educated at the public schools, and afterwards spent one year in the Normal School, Toronto, obtaining a first-class teacher's certificate at the age of seventeen. He taught school for one year in Peel County, and next in Perth County for one year and a half, and in 1864, was appointed first assistant in the Provincial Model School, Toronto. He remained in this capacity for three years and a half, and in 1871, was made inspector of schools for Division No. 1, Middlesex County. Five years later, he was appointed inspector of public schools for the city of Ottawa. He was the first Canadian member of the New York Mathematical Society, now the American Mathematical Society; was for nine years a member of the Central Committee of Examiners, under the Education Department of Ontario; is the author of the Public School Arithmetic, authorized for use in the public schools of Ontario, of an arithmetic for high schools, and is joint author, with Professor G. A. Wentworth and Dr. J. A. McLellan of a Treatise on Algebraic Analysis, published by Messrs. Ginn & Co., of Boston, U. S. A. Mr. Glashan has also been a contributor to *The Philosophical Magazine* (London, Eng.), *The Quarterly Journal of Mathematics* (Cambridge, Eng.), and *The American Journal of Mathematics*. He was married, in 1868, to Anne, daughter of Mr. Thos. Churcher, merchant, London, Ont. His family consists of one daughter, Frances Stuart, who is receiving the benefits of a liberal education, having passed through Ottawa Collegiate Institute, and studied for one year in Berlin, Germany, and is now following an arts course in Toronto University. In religion, Mr. Glashan is a member of the Presbyterian Church.

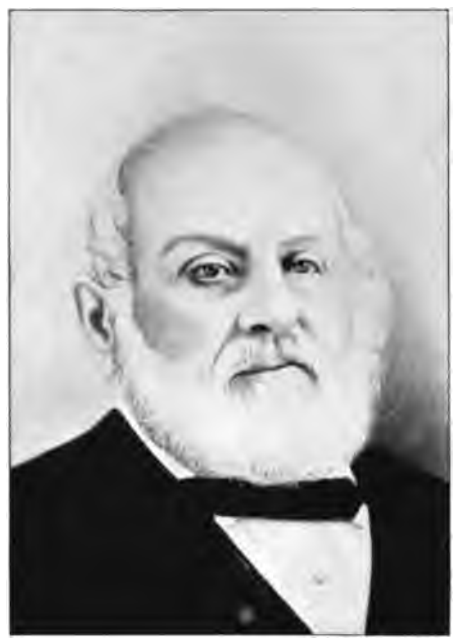
J. T. MACPHERSON, L. D. S., Montreal, was born at Lancaster, Glengarry County, Ont., September 25th, 1849. He is the son of Rev. Thomas MacPherson, M. A., Presbyterian clergyman, who came to Canada from the Isle of Skye, in 1835, being first stationed at Beech Ridge, Que., and afterwards was at Lancaster, Ont., until his death. During the Rebellion of 1837, he served as captain at Beech Ridge, and is also known as being one of the eleven Presbyterian ministers in Canada, opposed to the Union, and until his death, remained true to the old Kirk. Our subject received his early education at Lancaster, and subsequently Williamstown Grammar School. He afterwards went to Montreal and attended McGill College for three years, matriculating in medicine at this institution. He then went to New York city, where he studied dentistry two years, subsequently studying one year in Toronto, and obtained his degree of L. D. S. in Montreal. He then began practice at Huntingdon, where he remained until 1892, when he removed to Montreal, and is now located on Beaver Hall Hill, where he has established one of the most successful practices in the city. He is a member of the Masonic Order, Orange Society, Independent Order of Oddfellows, and Independent Order of Foresters, and was License Commisioner for Huntingdon County. In politics, he is a Conservative, and takes an active interest in the affairs of that party. He was, for many years, secretary-treasurer of the Liberal-Conservative Club in Huntingdon County, and one of the chief promoters of the same. To his efforts is due the resuscitation of Conservatism in Huntingdon County, which, for a great many years, returned liberals by acclamation. In 1890, he established the Huntingdon *Enterprise*, and succeeded in doing a noble work through its columns for his party. In religion, Mr. MacPherson is a Presbyterian. He was married to Jessie McBain, of Bainsville, Ont. His family consists of six children.

GEORGE CHARTRAND, Proprietor of the Princess Louise Restaurant, Montreal, and Financial Secretary of the Hotel Keepers' Mutual and Benefit Association, was born January 1st, 1860, at St. Vincent de Paul, Que. His father's name was Ubald Chartrand, while his mother's maiden name was Lucie Lauzon, descendants of old French families. Mr. Chartrand received his education at the schools of his native village, receiving a good practical training. When sixteen years of age, he began business life as a clerk, and was engaged in this capacity with different establishments until 1888. He then started business on his own account in the premises which he now occupies. Mr. Chartrand is well known and popular throughout the Province of Quebec, and his restaurant receives a large and select patronage. He was one of the founders of the Hotel Keeper's Mutual Benefit Association, and ever since its foundation he has taken an active interest in the progress of that association. In religion, Mr. Chartrand is a member of the Roman Catholic Church; in politics, a Conservative, although not taking any active part in political affairs. He is unmarried.

JOSEPH RIENDEAU, Proprietor of the Riendeau Hotel, Jacques Cartier Sq., Montreal, was born, October 15th, 1842, near Montreal, Que. His father was Joseph Riendeau, while his mother was Marie Ste-Marie, both of French origin, but now deceased. Mr. Riendeau was educated in the High School, Montreal. He spent seventeen years of his life in the United States, in Florida, New Orleans, Boston, New York and Springfield, Mass., following different lines of business in these cities. He returned to Canada in 1865. For some years, he was clerk of the St. Lawrence Hall for Mr. Henry Hogan. In 1879, he began business on his own account, in Montreal, in which he has since continued. Mr. Riendeau was one of the founders of the Victuallers' Association, which was established in 1884, with Mr. Hogan as president, and Mr. Riendeau as one of the directors. He is now president of this association, serving his second term in that capacity, and takes a great interest in the prosperity of that organization. In religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church; in politics, a supporter of the Liberal party. He is a most popular man, widely and favorably known with the travelling public.

CAPT. JOHN McDONALD, Banker, Chatsworth, Ont., was born, in 1850, in Sydenham Township, Grey County, Ont. His parents were John and Anne (Cameron) McDonald, pioneers of Grey County. Capt. McDonald was educated in Toronto University, taught school three years in Grey County, after which he studied law one year. He was appointed clerk of the Division Court at Chatsworth, in 1880. In 1892, he added banking to his other business. In politics, Mr. McDonald is a Liberal, and has been asked to stand for Parliamentary honors, but so far has declined. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. He is also treasurer of the Holland Agricultural Society, of the Chatsworth Mechanics' Institute, of the 31st Battalion, chairman of the School Board, and a J. P. He is also a frequent contributor to the press. Capt. McDonald was married, in 1885, to Annie C., daughter of the late Capt. Archibald Campbell, of Chatsworth, formerly mayor of Oban, Argyleshire, Scotland. He has two sons.

REV. JOHN WELLS, M.A., Presbyterian Minister, Flesherton, Ont., was born October, 1837, in the parish of Johnstone, Dumfriesshire, Scotland. He received his primary education at the parish school and Dumfries Academy, after which he entered Glasgow University, where he graduated with the degree of M. A., in 1856. He was a distinguished student, took many valuable prizes and bursaries, notably the prize for general proficiency, during his last year in theology. He was licensed in May, 1860, and ordained in August, 1861. He came to Canada and was inducted to the charge of New Richmond, Que., in November of the same year; East Williams, Ont., July, 1877; Jarvis, January, 1884; Flesherton, 1891. Mr. Wells is a powerful preacher, an effective platform speaker, and is active in educational and temperance movements, is a P.M. in the A.F. & A.M., and a member of the A.O.U.W. In 1886, Mr. Wells was married to Annabella, only daughter of the late Rev. James Steven, Campbellton, N. B.



THE LATE ISAAC WENGER, Ayton, Ont., was born in Lancaster County, Pa., February 18th, 1812. When about thirteen years of age, he came to Canada. In 1852, he and the late S. S. Weaver, started a store in Preston, under the name of Wenger & Weaver, shortly afterwards removing to Elmira, where the late Peter Wenger joined the firm, which was then known as Wenger, Weaver & Co. Our subject retired from the firm, however, and started a store in partnership with John Ruppel, under the name of Wenger & Ruppel, which firm, after a few years, dissolved. In 1874, he sold his interests in Elmira, and purchased the Ayton Mill property, associating his three sons with him in the milling, store, and subsequently creamery business. In religion, he was a Mennomite; in politics, a Liberal. He was married, in 1839, to Mary Bowman, of Waterloo County. He died, March, 1890,very deeply regretted. His businesses are continued by his sons, under the names of Noah Wenger & Bros., and Isaac Wenger.

HENRY BIRD, J. P., Clerk, of Barrie, Ont., was born, in 1831, in Tipperary County, Ireland. He came to Canada, with his parents, in 1851, and settled in Toronto, where he engaged in mercantile pursuits. In 1859, he removed to Barrie. In 1870, he was elected councillor of the town, and from 1865 to 1874, he was secretary of the Public School Board. In 1874, he was appointed clerk and treasurer. In 1889, on the separation of these offices, he retained the clerkship. In politics, Mr. Bird is a Liberal, was secretary of the Reform Association for North Simcoe, and also of the North Simcoe Agricultural Society. In religion, he is a Methodist, active in works of charity, secretary of the Barrie Relief Fund and treasurer of the Children's Aid Society. Mr. Bird was married, in 1856, to Elizabeth, daughter of the late Thomas Montgomery, of Bradford, Ont. He has three sons and four daughters; one son, Thomas A., being manager of the Bank of Toronto, at Brockville, and another, Joseph E., a barrister in the city of Toronto.

LUDGER FOREST, M. D., L'Assomption, Que., was born there, December 24th, 1827. His parents were Francis and Marie (Amireau) Forest. Dr. Forest received his education at L'Assomption College, completing his course in 1852. He at once commenced to study for his profession at the Medical College, Montreal, graduating M.D., in 1856. He then went to New York, studying in the hospitals, and on his return commenced practice in L'Assomption, where he has since remained, and to-day stands in the front rank of his profession in his district. In politics, the Doctor is a Liberal, and active in his party's interests. In 1886, he was elected to the Quebec Legislature, for L'Assomption County, remaining two terms. Whilst in Parliament, he took an active part in the discussion of all questions, and gave his constituency an able representation. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. February 15th, 1858, he married Atala, daughter of the late Hon. P. N. Archambault. His family consists of five children.

REMI BENOIT, Collector of Customs, Arichat, C. B., was born January 3rd, 1842, at Descouse, C. B. His parents were James and Marina (Petitpas) Benoit, descendants of the first French settlers of Nova Scotia. Mr. Benoit was educated at St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish and Laval University of Quebec. He taught for four years in Nova Scotia, and was inspector of public schools of Richmond County, C. B., from 1869 to 1879. He received the appointment of Collector of Customs, in February, 1879, which office he still holds. In discharging the duties of this office, he exhibits that ability and carefulness which so largely characterized his previous life, and which materially aided in securing him the position. In religion, Mr. Benoit is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative. He was married, in 1869, to Miss Delvenia Pertus, who died in 1875, and again, in 1879, to Miss Julia S. Martel. His family consists of four children by his first marriage, and six by his second, all of whom are living but one.

CAPTAIN ARTHUR J. WHITEHEAD, Bark and Lumber Merchant, of Eastman, Que., was born at West Bolton, Province of Quebec, January 3rd, 1851. His father was Seth Whitehead, Esq., farmer, of Shefford, while his mother's maiden name was Isabella Payton. Mr. Whitehead was educated at a district school in Shefford. At the age of fifteen years, he left school and followed farming for a number of years. He then learned the trade of tanner in the establishment of Shaw Bros. & Cassils, Waterloo, Que., which business he afterwards followed until 1894, when he engaged in the bark and lumber business, at Eastman, which he has since followed with success. In addition to this business, he conducts a general store at Eastman, and has also established a cheese factory there, which promises to be an important factor in the community. He also owns a farm in that vicinity, to which he gives a good deal of attention. Capt. Whitehead has been prominently identified with the municipal affairs of Eastman, having been a member of the Municipal Council since 1888. He also takes an active part in political affairs, being a prominent Liberal, and does good work for that party at election campaigns. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England, and has held the office of warden of St. John's Church, Eastman. He is also a member of the Independent Order of Foresters, and of the Masonic Fraternity. He entered the military service of Canada, in 1870, at the time of the Fenian Raid, at Eccles Hill, where he saw active service, after which he was promoted through the different stages of military offices until 1877, when he was made captain of No. 2 Company, 79th Battalion. He was an enthousiastic military man, but pressure of business, compelled him to resign in 1890; he still retains his rank. Captain Whitehead was married, May 8th, 1877, to Mary Jane McKenna, daughter of Thomas McKenna, Esq., Waterloo, Que. His family consists of three sons and three daughters.

WENTWORTH EATON ROSCOE, Barrister, Kentville, N. S., was born August 21st, 1849. His parents were Jacob Miner and Prudence Jane (Rockwell) Roscoe. Mr. Roscoe was educated at the Wolfville Academy and Dalhousie College. He taught school very successfully for seven years in the County of Kings, and was well known, in educational circles, as a successful teacher. He studied law in the office of D. B. Woodworth, M.P.P., afterwards M.P., Kentville, N. S., and was admitted to the Bar September 19th, 1876, when he was at once taken into partnership with Mr. Woodworth. In August, 1878, he commenced practice on his own account, at Kentville, and has remained there ever since. His connection not only extends over the County of Kings and the surrounding country, but to almost every part of Nova Scotia. He has a leading commercial practice, but is more particularly known as a criminal lawyer, having been prominent in some of the most conspicuous criminal cases. Among others may be mentioned that he was the leading counsel for the defence in the Cameron Poisoning Case, in 1893, at Annapolis, and was sole counsel for the defence in the Jackson Poisoning Case, in 1894. The local papers at that time in writing up a description of the lawyers who figured in these cases, paid an eloquent tribute to the ability and eloquence of Mr. Roscoe in his conduct of the cases. He occupies many prominent positions other than those in connection with his extensive law practice. He is at present warden of the County of Kings, having been elected in 1890, and re-elected in 1892. He was county councillor two years previous to this. He is a public spirited citizen, and conscientiously performs the duties of the offices entrusted to him, which has gained for him the high esteem with which he is regarded. Mr. Roscoe was married, December 27th, 1878, to Annie E., daughter of Robert Martin, Esq., of Centreville, N.S. They have four children: two sons and two daughters.

R. M. FISHER, M.D., C.M., Wiarton, Ont., was born in Peel Township, Wellington County, Ont. He received an early and liberal education, after which he took up the study of dentistry, graduating L. D. S. from the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, in 1876. He pursued his medical studies at Toronto School of Medicine, and graduated M. D., C. M., from Victoria University, in 1881, and one year later took M. B., at Toronto University, and M. C. P. S. O. For several years he was teacher of practical dentistry in the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, was, for ten consecutive years, on the board of directors of that institution; he was also, for a time, senior surgeon on the S. S. "Montreal." From 1889 to 1892, he held the position of examiner on medical subjects, relating to dentistry, at Toronto University. In 1884, he located in Wiarton, and, in addition to his professional duties, is coroner for the County of Bruce, and medical health officer of the town. Dr. Fisher was married, in 1891, to Miss Alice Day, of Elora, Ont.

JOHN DICKSON KELLOCK, M. D., Perth, Ont., was born in that place, November 5th, 1835. His father, Robert Kellock, a native of Fifeshire, Scotland, came to Canada about the year 1832. His mother's maiden name was Alicia MacDonnell, of Paisley, Scotland. Dr. Kellock received his education in the schools of Perth, and the Normal School, Toronto. He then taught school for a few years. He subsequently studied medicine in Queen's College, Kingston, and graduated M. D. with honors, in 1862. He immediately began to practise in Perth, where he has since continued, being now the oldest resident doctor in the place. He has built up a large connection. He also occupies the positions of surgeon to the County Gaol and to the C.P.R., and coroner for the county. Dr. Kellock has been a member of the Board of Education for about thirty years, and has been twice chairman of the same. In religion, he is a Baptist; in politics, a supporter of the Liberal party. His present wife was Miss Margaret Brown, of Andover, Mass.

VICTOR ALLARD, M. P. P. for Berthier, Berthier, Que., was born, February 1st, 1860, at St. Cuthbert, Berthier Co. His father was a prominent farmer in that county, and was, for many years, a Justice of the Peace, and member of the Municipal Council. Mr. Allard received his collegiate education at L'Assomption College, where he remained six years, and at Laval University, Quebec, completing a full arts course, graduating with the degree of B. A., in 1880. In the following year, he commenced the study of law in Laval University, Montreal, at the same time entering in the office of Hon. J. A. Ouimet, Minister of Public Works. After a course of three years of theoretical and practical study, he passed his examinations, and was admitted to the Bar, to practise law, in January, 1884. In June, of that year, he opened an office in Berthier, where he has since continued to practise his profession, and where he enjoys a large and lucrative business. While a student of law in Montreal, he manifested much interest in and ability for politics, and in the Local campaign of 1881, and Federal campaign of 1882, he took an active part on the platform, where his eloquence speedily brought him into prominence. In the General Provincial Elections of 1890, he became a candidate on the Conservative ticket in Berthier County, where he was unsuccessful. Again, in 1892, he was a candidate for the same county, and was returned by a large majority. He represents, with much satisfaction to his people and credit to himself, the county which sent him to Parliament. He has been, for a number of years, a member of the Municipal Council of Berthier. In religion, Mr. Allard is a Roman Catholic. He is also a member of the I. O. Foresters, and was the first Chief Ranger of the Berthier Court. January 21st, 1885, Mr. Allard married Miss Blanche Dorval, daughter of the late Damase Dorval, Esq., a leading advocate and inspector of schools in L'Assomption. His family consists of five children.

CHAS. AUGUSTE CORNELLIER, Q.C., Crown Prosecutor for the district of Joliette, was born, May 2nd, 1855, at Ste. Elizabeth, Que. His parents were Hypolite Cornellier and Henrietta Lavallée. He received his education at Joliette College, from which he graduated in classics. Having decided to study law, he entered the office of Judge Baby, Joliette, where he remained one year, after which he was with Sir Alexander Lacoste three years, and was admitted to the Bar July 12th, 1879. He then went to St. Johns, Que., and conducted for a time *L'Echo d'Iberville*, after which he abandoned journalism and went to Montreal, and for seven years was connected with Hon. J. A. Ouimet, during part of this time he also conducted the criminal cases for the Crown, in Montreal. In 1890, he removed to Joliette, where he has built up a very extensive connection. Though the law declares that a Q. C. must be a lawyer of ten years' practice, an exception was made in his case, owing to the able way in which he had filled the office of prosecutor in Montreal, and the Minister of Justice for Canada conferred upon him the title of Q.C., at the early age of thirty-one years. Mr. Cornellier has conducted some of the most important criminal cases ever held in the district, either as the prosecutor or defence, amongst which may be mentioned: Lavoie vs. Gaboury, being a protested case in which an attempt was made to disqualify Hon. J. A. Ouimet, Crown vs. Jacobs, a murder case in which he acted for the defendant who was acquitted; Hooper, a murder case in which he acted as Crown prosecutor, etc., etc. In religion, Mr. Cornellier is a Roman Catholic. October 21st, 1881, he married Emma, daughter of Alex. A. Wilson, Esq., wholesale merchant, of Montreal. His family consists of two daughters, living. In politics, he is a Conservative, and has taken an active part on the platform and otherwise. In 1890, he was a candidate for the County of Soulanges, but was defeated.

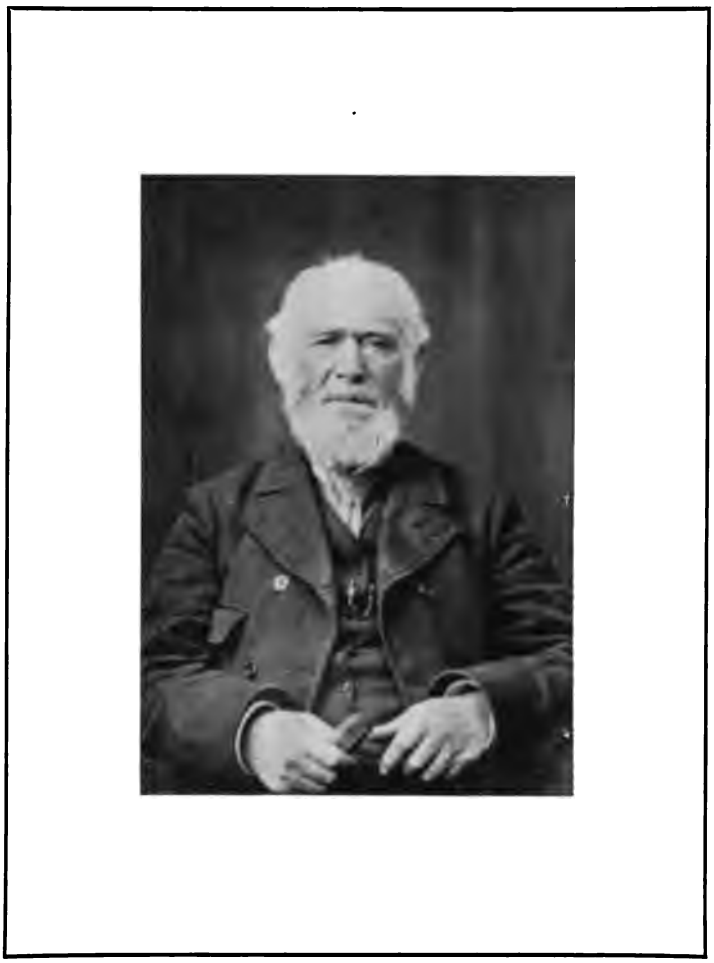
JOHN GREENSHIELDS, retired Railway Contractor, Danville, Que., was born in Scotland, in 1823. He was educated in the schools of Scotland, and at the public school near Montreal. He began work on the Erie Canal, at the age of nineteen years. By industry, tact and shrewdness, he soon rose to distinction, and was in his day one of the best known railway contractors in the Province of Quebec. He was also a prominent farmer and mill owner. He is at present dealing with John Lee & Co., Montreal, in lumber, and the Toronto Paper Co., in pulp wood. Mr. Greenshields was married, in 1851, to Miss Margaret Naismith, of Scotland. His family consists of eight children, one of whom is J. N. Greenshields, Q. C., a famous lawyer of Montreal, whose biography appears in Vol. II, of this series. Mr. Greenshields is one of the oldest and most highly respected residents of Richmond Co., and has contributed largely, by his activity and great experience, to its commercial and industrial growth. He is noted for his fine business ability and generosity in helping to promote all public enterprises, especially those which tend to advance the welfare of the community in which he resides.

REV. SAMUEL BOYD, Wallace, Cumberland County, N. S., was born in County Down, Ireland, July 24th, 1824. His parents were Robert Boyd and Martha Walker, both of Scotch descent, his father being of the third generation of his connection of Boyds that settled in Ireland. Mr. Boyd received his early education at the schools of his native county, and at Banbridge Private Academy. In 1845, he entered the Royal College, Belfast, completing the course of study, in 1849. Soon after, he settled in Philadelphia, and taught school, and then took a theological course in connection with the Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America, under Dr. Crawford, professor of theology and Dr. Wiley, professor of Church History and Oriental languages. He graduated in 1857, was ordained the following year, and inducted into the charge of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, Somonauk, Ill., remaining for four years, when he removed to Shemogue, N. B., serving that Church eleven years. He was then received into the Presbyterian Church of Canada and inducted into his present charge. He married, July 4th, 1864, Mary Ann, daughter of Andrew T. Morrison, Bradford Co., Pa.

JOSEPH GRIGNON, Advocate and Publisher, St. Jérôme, Que., was born, June 21st, 1863, at that place. His father's name was Medard Grignon, a prominent merchant of St. Jérôme, while his mother's maiden name was Henrietta Lalande, a descendant of an old French family. Mr. Grignon received his elementary education in the schools of St. Jérôme; he then attended Ste. Thérèse College, where he completed his classical education, in 1881. He then entered the office of Hon. G. A. Nantel, at St. Jérôme, where he remained two years, after which he attended Laval University, Montreal, two years, at the same time giving attention to the practical part of his profession in the office of Messrs. St. Pierre & Bussière, Montreal. He passed all his examinations with great credit, in 1886, and at once commenced to practise in St. Jérôme, where he has since remained, and has built up a remunerative connection, and enjoys the full confidence of his townsmen and clientage, having evinced much legal ability. He also stands socially in the highest esteem of the citizens. In May, 1889, he was elected secretary-treasurer of St. Jérôme School Board, which position he has since retained. He has always shown a tendency to Journalism, and in August, 1888, was appointed editor of *Le Nord*, a weekly newspaper, published in St. Jérôme, in the interest of the Northern part of the Ottawa Valley, which paper has attained a high position in the country, and is widely known. In politics, he is a Liberal-Conservative, having taken an active part on the platform and through his paper, to further the interest of that party. His editorials are often commented upon by the leading newspapers of the Province. In May, 1889, Mr. Grignon was married to Miss Valentine Labelle, daughter of Joseph Labelle, Esq., a prominent agriculturist of St. Jérôme, Que. Mrs. Grignon is a graduate of Lachine Convent, obtaining, on graduation, the Governor General's Gold Medal. His family consists of two daughters.

WILLIAM JOHN SIMPSON, M. P. P. for Argenteuil Co., Lachute, Que., was born, November 23rd, 1851, at that place. His father was John Simpson, a native of Banffshire, Scotland, who came to Canada, in 1838, with the Royal Artillery, as corporal, who, after the Rebellion, married and settled in Lachute, where he resided until his death, in 1890, after being, for many years, lieutenant-colonel of the 11th Battalion. His mother's maiden name was Jane Day, a native of Scotland. Mr. Simpson received his early education at Lachute Academy, which he attended for about eight years, completing a full course at that institution. Having decided upon a business career, he, at once, on completing his college course, entered into business with James Fish, mill owner, at Lachute, with whom he learned all the branches of the milling trade, and is, to-day, with one Mr. Boyd, the owner of both saw and grist mills, and of the electric lighting plant for Lachute town, and of the most extensive trade in the district. The reputation of his mills extends throughout the Dominion, and they have had the honor on more than one occasion of carrying off the medal and diploma at both Provincial and Dominion exhibitions, upon oatmeal. He was, for three years, secretary-treasurer of Lachute. In politics, he is an active Conservative, having been secretary of the County Association for a number of years. In 1892, he was a candidate for the Quebec Legislature, and was returned. Since being in Parliament, he has proved himself a legislator of worth, and has an opinion of his own on all questions arising for consideration. From 1881 to 1891, he was the proprietor of the Lachute *Watchman*, a well known and widely circulated journal. In religion, Mr. Simpson is an Episcopalian, has been warden and delegate to Synod. In 1874, Mr. Simpson married Miss Mary Fitzgerald, daughter of the late Thomas Fitzgerald, of St. Andrews, Quebec. His family consists of two children.

WILLIAM ALBERT GARRISON, Surveyor of Customs, Halifax, N. S., was born June 10th, 1842, at Peggy's Cove, Halifax County, N.S. His parents were George and Ann (Dauphany) Garrison. Mr. Garrison was educated at the public schools. He entered the civil service, in June, 1868, as assistant gauger and proof officer, was long room clerk, in 1876, acting cashier, in 1886, and surveyor of customs, in 1887. He joined the Halifax Brigade Garrison Artillery, in 1869; was made lieutenant, in 1876; captain, in 1881; and major, his present rank, in 1887. During the North-West Rebellion of 1885, he served with the Halifax Provisional Battalion. He was a member of the Canadian Rifle Team of Wimbledon, in 1884, and of Bisly, in 1890. He has held high offices in the Orange Society and the A. F. & A. M. In religion, Major Garrison is an Episcopalian; in politics, a Conservative. He was married, November 10th, 1874, to Elizabeth, daughter of John Ross, Esq. His family consists of one son and two daughters.



CHARLES JAMES CAMPBELL, ex-M. P., and ex-M. P. P., Baddeck, N. S., was born November 6th, 1819, in Skye, Invernessshire, Scotland. He came to Cape Breton in 1830. He is the son of Capt. J. Campbell, of "Duntulm," and Isabella McRae, Scotland. He was appointed coroner in 1847, and J. P. in 1850. Contested the first election held in Victoria, 1851. Was a member of the Executive Council from 1856 to 1859, when he was defeated. Returned in 1860, unseated on petition in 1861, returned in 1863, but defeated in 1867. Elected in 1871, appointed to the Legislative Council, May 2nd, 1872, and resigned in 1874, to run for the Dominion Parliament. Was defeated in 1878, returned in 1882, but again defeated in 1887. He was appointed lieut.-colonel first Regiment Victoria Militia some years before Confederation, and lieut.-colonel of Victoria Reserve Militia in 1869. He was a member of the Board of Agriculture, also of the Board of Health. He married, January, 1843, Eliza Jane Ingraham. He has seven children, living.

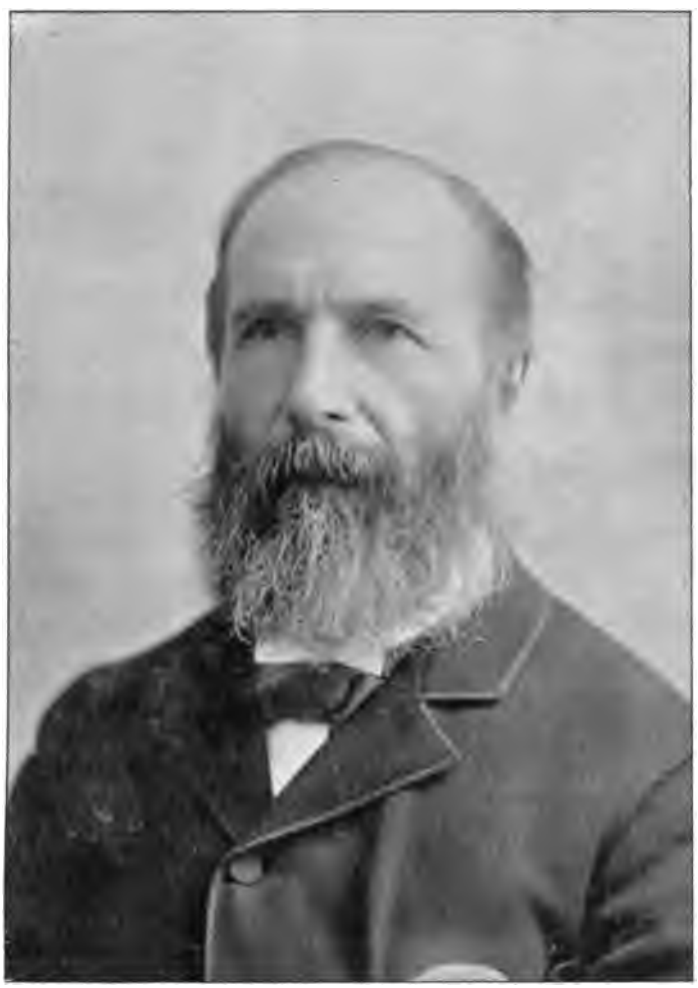
LIEUT.-COLONEL JOSHUA WRIGHT, commanding 43rd Battalion, Hull, Que., was born at Hull, Que., Sept. 22nd, 1855. He is descended in a direct line from Liberius Wright, the founder of that city. His parents were Alphonso and Jessie (Hackett) Wright. His father died at the early age of 27, leaving a widow and two sons. The former still survives and of the latter, the younger died in 1889, leaving our subject the only surviving one of the family. Mr. Wright was educated at the High schools of Hull and Ottawa, completing his studies about the age of twenty. He then followed farming extensively, on the estate then known as the Columbia farm, until 1885, when he subdivided, and leased the property for town lots, and continued the pursuit of agriculture on a smaller scale. In 1891, he invested heavily in mica mining property, in the Gatineau Valley, becoming one of a syndicate known as the Cascade Mining Co., of which he has had the management since its organization, and has conducted its affairs with much ability. At an early age he developed a great aptitude for military matters and at the age of seventeen, he entered military life, by joining the Ottawa Garrison Artillery, and four years later, took a course in gunnery at "A" Battery, Kingston. Upon the disorganization of the Garrison Artillery, in 1877, he joined the Wakefield Infantry Co., and served as lieutenant until its incorporation with the 43rd Battalion as No. 3 Co., when he was promoted to the rank of captain. At the time of the North-West Rebellion, in the spring of 1885, he was called to active service, and made supply officer of General Strange's column. During the campaign, he displayed signal courage and matchless ability, and at the close of the war, was the recipient of many honors and tokens of admiration from his superior officers. Col. Wright was married, in 1877, to Elizabeth, daughter of Caleb Brooks, a well-known lumber merchant of the Gatineau Valley. His family consists of three sons and four daughters.

F. H. AYER, Merchant, Moncton, New Brunswick, was born, November 5th, 1860, in that place. His parents were O. and Susan Ayer. Mr. Ayer was educated at the High School, Moncton, receiving a good business education. He afterwards took up the study of law, at which he practised for a short time. He gave up that profession, however, to devote all his attention to mercantile pursuits, in which he has continued ever since. His keen knowledge of business affairs, fully qualifies him to control municipal matters, with which he has been identified in Moncton, for many years. He has been alderman for four years, chairman of the Finance and Accounts Committee two years, and is at present the chairman of the Expropriation Committee. In connection with this committee, he performed very valuable service for the city, as through it, the property and franchise of the Moncton Gas Light and Water Company, were expropriated to the city. He was also chairman of the committee which drew up the prospectus, in connection with the sale of the £72,000 sterling of city debentures, for the purchase and control of this extensive property. The prospectus, as prepared, was successful in bringing the city an order for the debentures from the Bank of Montreal, London, Eng., which offer was finally unanimously accepted by the Council and gave universal satisfaction to the people. Mr. Ayer represented the city for two years, at the Westmoreland County Council, and is at present secretary of the Board of Trade. In politics, he is a supporter of the Conservative party; in religion, a member of the Baptist Church, holding the office of trustee in the church to which he belongs, in Moncton. He is also a member of the Board of School Trustees, and takes a great interest in the progress of education in his city and province. He was married, in 1884, to Dora, daughter of J. M. Eaton, Esq., Moncton. His family consists of two sons and three daughters.

DANIEL H. MACKINNON, Barrister-at-Law, Notary Public, Commissioner of the Supreme Court, and M. P. P., Guysboro', Nova Scotia, was born, April 15th, 1865, at Lake Ainslie, C. B. His parents were Neil MacKinnon and Mary MacLeod. His father was born in Pictou County, N. S., a descendant of a Waterloo pensioner, and a native of the Isle of Muck, Argyleshire, while his mother was a daughter of a Louisburg veteran, and a native of the Isle of Skye. Mr. MacKinnon received his education at Pictou Academy, Pictou, N. S. He afterwards took up the study of law and was admitted to the Bar, December 9th, 1890. He then opened an office in Guysboro', where he has since remained being now in the enjoyment of a profitable connection. He is Crown Prosecutor for the County of Guysboro. He is also a member of the Masonic Order. In politics, he is a Liberal, and was elected a member of the Provincial Legislature of Nova Scotia, March 15th, 1894, to represent the county of Guysboro. In religion, Mr. MacKinnon is a Presbyterian. He was married, February 18th, 1891, to Christina, daughter of Murdoch MacPherson, Esq., of Mabou, Cape Breton.

JOHN NEILL, M. D., C. M., Hull, Que., was born at Aylmer, Que., on the 3rd of March, 1867. His father was Joseph Neill, a prominent lumberman and agriculturist, while his mother's maiden name was Elizabeth Hill. Dr. Neill received his early education in Aylmer Academy, matriculating in medicine in 1887. In October, of the same year, he entered McGill University to pursue his medical course, which he completed, passing all examinations and taking the degrees of M.D., C.M., in 1892. He at once commenced practice in Inverness, Que., where he soon proved himself a man suited to his profession. In January, 1894, he removed to Hull, Que., in order to have a larger field, and since his location there, he has rapidly come to the front, and to-day enjoys a large and lucrative practice. In politics, the doctor is a Liberal, but does not give much attention to political matters, preferring to devote his full time and attention to his professional duties. In religion, he is a member of the Methodist Church. He is also a member of the I. O. F. On the 5th of September, 1894, Dr. Neill was married to Miss Bertha Stewart, daughter of David Stewart, Esq., Aylmer, Que.

JOHN HENDERSON, City Clerk, Ottawa, Ont., was born in the town of Duns, Berwickshire, Scotland, in 1835. His father was John Henderson, a solicitor of that town, while his mother's maiden name was Elizabeth Smith, a descendant of an old Scotch family, who had, for two centuries, shed lustre upon the pages of Scottish history, in military, professional and litterary circles. Mr. Henderson received his early education in the public schools of Duns. In 1850, he commenced the study of law in the office of Johnson & Robson, Duns, Scotland. In 1853, he went to Edinburgh, entering the law office of G. & J. Turnbull, where he remained four years, at the same time attending law lectures in Edinburgh University, where he qualified for passing his examinations as a solicitor. In 1857, he came to Ottawa, where he obtained a position as bookkeeper for J. McCurier & Co., lumbermen, afterwards with J. McLaren & Co., where he remained as bookkeeper and manager until November, 1891, when he was appointed City Clerk for Ottawa. In 1873, he became an alderman in New Edinburgh, then a suburb, now a part of Ottawa, and from 1876 to 1887, was reeve of that village. During much of that time, he was also chairman of Finance in the County Council of Carleton. From 1887 to 1891, he was an alderman of his city. He was, for over twenty years, chairman of the School Board of New Edinburgh, and afterwards a member of the Ottawa School Board. In 1891, he was appointed City Clerk for Ottawa, on the resignation of Mr. W. P. Lett, a position which he is eminently fitted to fill, owing to his extensive and thorough training in law in Edinburgh, and in business details in Ottawa city. He has been a member of Knox Presbyterian Church since 1858, and, for many years, secretary and chairman of managing committee. In 1863, Mr. Henderson was married to Miss Mary Hamilton, of Ottawa, Ont. His family consists of five children one son and four daughters.



ROBERT RANDOLPH CALL, Newcastle, N. B., was born in Newcastle, Miramichi, September 12th, 1837. His father, Obadiah Call, was a native of the State of Maine, while his mother, Margaret Burke, was a native of Limerick, Ireland. Mr. Call was educated at the Grammar School, Newcastle. In 1871, in company with Mr. John C. Miller, he built the side wheel steamer "New Era," and established the first line of passenger steamers that ran on the Miramichi River. For about a third of a century, he has been interested in the steamboat business, and occupied the position of agent for the Quebec and Gulf Ports Steamship Company, and for other lines of steamers that have called at Newcastle. November 26th, 1866, he received the appointment of U. S. Consular agent at Newcastle. In June, 1867, he was elected chairman of the Northumberland County Almshouse Commissioners, in January, 1874, made a member of the Board of Pilotage Commissioners for the Miramichi District of New Brunswick, and chosen secretary-treasurer. He is also the owner of the Gas Works in Newcastle. Mr. Call is also well up in military matters; he was created lieutenant of 2nd battalion of Northumberland County militia, in 1865, and in October, 1868, appointed captain of the Newcastle Field Battery of Artillery, and gazetted as such December 18th of the same year. In December, 1873, he was major; and lieut.-colonel, February 4th, 1885. In 1875, this corps was called into active service during the school riots in Gloucester County. They left Newcastle for Bathurst, 28th January, and arrived at their destination on the evening of the 29th of that month, after having experienced great hardships on the road. Mr. Call is a Past Master in the Masonic Order, also a member of the Northumberland Highland Society. He has travelled considerably in Europe and in Canada. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and has been trustee, secretary and treasurer. May 21st, 1862, he married Annie Rankin Nevin, a native of Scotland.

AARON MONTGOMERY EVANS, Mining Engineer, Manager of Gowrie Colliery, C. B., (Dominion Coal Co.) was born, June 15th, 1847, at Welshpool, North Wales. His parents were William and Elizabeth Evans. He was apprenticed to James Bache, Esq., M. E., Dudley, Worchestershire, in 1861, for seven years. Since that time Mr. Evans has followed mining, in England, Wales, the United States and Canada. Since coming to this country, he has been manager of the Anglo-Canadian Asbestos Co., limited, London, Eng., at Black Lake, afterwards with King Bros., Asbestos Mines, Thetford and Black Lake, when he assumed his present position. Mr. Evans is a member of the Masonic Fraternity, the I. O. F., Orangemen and Quebec Mining Association, and was secretary of the Asbestos Club, Black Lake, for two years. In religion, he is a Methodist; in politics, a member of the Conservative party. Mr. Evans was married, in 1868, to Minnie Ashton Hockett, eldest daughter of Wm. J. A. Hockett, of London, Eng.

THE LATE MATTHEW MACKENDRICK, P.M., Kincardine, Ont., was born, April 12th, 1820, in Ayrshire, Scotland. He was educated in Glasgow, came to Canada in 1840, entering the employ of Armour & Ramsay, wholesale stationers, Montreal. He removed to Kingston, in 1842, to manage a branch there, and to Hamilton two years later, where, under the firm name of Armour, Ramsay & Mackendrick, he continued until 1849, when the firm removed to Toronto. In 1855, Mr. Mackendrick removed to Kincardine, acted as local Crown Lands agent, and was soon afterwards appointed P. M., a position he filled with great acceptance until his death, in 1892. He was married, in 1846, to Isabella, daughter of the late Malcolm Christie, of Campbeltown, Argyleshire, Scotland, by whom he had two sons, Wm. R., (deceased), late of Chicago, and Geo. M., druggist, Kincardine. Mr. Mackendrick, was largely identified with the growth, progress and prosperity of Bruce County. In religion, he was a Presbyterian.

THE LATE DAVID MACKENDRICK, Merchant, Kincardine, Ontario, was an elder brother of the late Matthew Mackendrick, whose biography appears on the opposite page, and a son of Wm. Mackendrick, a native of Glasgow, Scotland. He was educated in the schools of Glasgow. He came to Canada, when quite a young man, and became one of the earliest pioneers of Bruce County, having located where the town of Kincardine now stands, when there were few others than the aboriginal Indians to trade with. From 1849, he saw the early struggles, and contributed not a little to lay the foundation of what Kincardine is to-day. He carried on business as merchant there, for a number of years, in which he was eminently successful, and retired with a competency. The soul of honor and integrity, he was, by his unobtrusive manner and genial disposition, combined with business tact and foresight, looked up to and respected by all. Of late years, he lived a quiet and retired life and passed away, 1892.

J. S. MAGEE, Grocery Merchant, Moncton, N. B., was born, June 5th, 1862, in Albert County, New Brunswick. His father's name is John Magee, now living in Moncton, while his mother's maiden name was Margaret Bayley, both natives of Ireland. Mr. Magee was educated in the public schools of Albert County, and the Business College of St. John, N. B. In 1888, he began business, as grocer, in Moncton, where he has since remained. He has taken an active interest in municipal affairs, and was elected alderman, in March, 1893, and again in 1894. He is chairman of the Fire, Light and Water Committee, Assessment and Appeals and Printing committees. He is also a member of the Knights of Pythias. In religion, he is a member of the Salvation Army, and in politics, a Liberal. A man diligent in business, and an earnest Christian, possessing the confidence of all who know him. Mr. Magee was married, in March, 1892, to Miss Annie L. Jenkins, daughter of Hugh Jenkins, Esq., shipbuilder of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia.

JOHN C. MILLER, of Millerton, Miramichi, New Brunswick, Manager of Miller's Tanning Extract Company, was born, January 12th, 1839, in Picton, Prince Edward County, Ontario. His parents were James and Eliza (Cumming) Miller. His father was from East Kilbride, Scotland, coming to Canada about the year 1834, settling in Picton, Ont. Here, he married, and did an extensive general business for many years. He died in 1880. His mother was a native of Picton, and of U. E. Loyalist stock. She died in 1890. Mr. Miller was educated at Picton public schools and Knox College, Toronto. In 1856, he removed, with his parents, to the Province of Quebec, where he remained until 1869, during which time, in company with his father and brother, he commenced the manufacture of Hemlock Extract, of which the former was the originator and patentee. In 1869, Mr. Miller removed to Miramichi, and established business on the same line, where he has since remained. In 1871, in partnership with R. R. Call, Esq., of Newcastle, N. B., he built and ran the steamer "New Era". This was the first permanent passenger steamer on the Miramichi River, and was soon followed by the steamer "Andover," and many others, until at this date, this river can boast of having the largest fleet of river steamers numerically speaking, of any other place in the Maritime Provinces. Fondness of the water acquired in youth on the Bay of Quinte, led him into yachting, and he was made commodore of the Miramichi Yacht Club, at its formation, in 1885, which position he has since held. This club is still a flourishing one, and the only one of its kind in New Brunswick. Mr. Miller is an enthousiastic yachtsman and is considered an authority on all matters pertaining to that sport. In religion, Mr. Miller is a member of the Presbyterian Church; in politics, a supporter of the Liberal party. He was married, in 1861, to Eliza McLean, of Granby, Que. His family consists of one son, John Walter, who is connected with his father in the extract business.

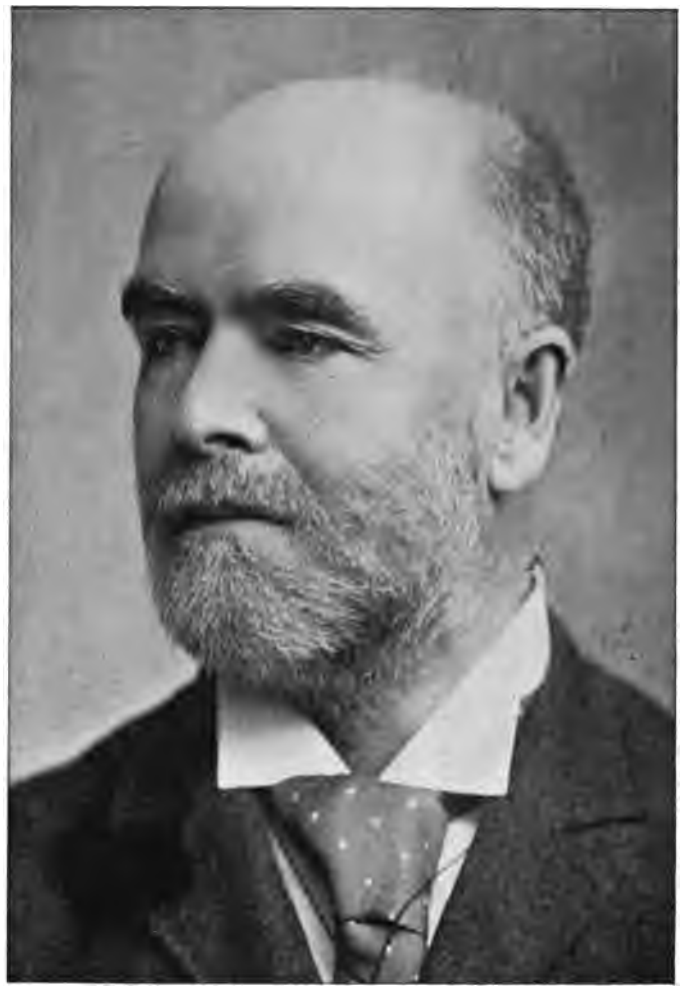
F. R. LATCHFORD, B. A., Barrister & Solicitor, Ottawa, Ont., was born, near Ottawa, April 30th, 1856. He is of Irish descent; his father, James Latchford, being a native of Limerick County, and his mother of Tipperary County, Ireland. Mr. Latchford received his early education at Aylmer Academy and various schools in Ottawa. After spending a number of years in business with his father, he decided to take a University course, and entered the College of Ottawa, where he soon attained distinction as a student. He won, among other honors, the Governor-General's Medal in English literature, and a medal conferred by Pope Leo XIII for the best latin essay on psychology. Mr. Latchford also excelled in athletic exercises, and was one of the first members of the famous "Varsity Foot-ball Team." He was graduated, with honors, in 1882, taking the degree of B. A. In the same year, he began the study of law, in Ottawa, with O'Gara & Remon, passing afterwards to the office of Scott, MacTavish & MacCraken. After studying one year, in Toronto, with Watson, Thorne & Smellie, he was called to the Bar in 1886. In the same year, he opened an office in Ottawa, and soon succeeded in building up an extensive practice. In 1890, he formed a partnership with Mr. Chas. Murphy, under the firm name of Latchford & Murphy. He is the solicitor for the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of Canada, and other friendly societies, and for the Park Commissioners and the Separate School Board of Ottawa. He has been, for many years, prominently identified with public charities, especially the St. Patrick's Asylum of Ottawa, of which institution he has been president since 1888. In politics, he is a Reformer, an effective speaker and good organizer, and has taken an active part in the interests of his party. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. Mr. Latchford was married, in August 1890, to Frances Agnes, daughter of the late Stephen O'Brien, Esq., of Ottawa. His family consists of three sons.

REV. FATHER JOHN JOSEPH O'DONOVAN, Rector of the Church of Assumption, Carleton, St. John, New Brunswick, was born in the County of Cork, Ireland, January 28th, 1858. He is the son of Timothy O'Donovan and Catherine Sweeney. He received his early education at Bandon, County of Cork, and his classical training at St. Vincent Seminary, Cork, graduating from there, in 1875. He then took a two years' course in Philosophy at All Hallows College, Dublin, and his theological at St. Joseph's College, Memramcook, N. B. He was ordained, June 26th, 1884, by Bishop Sweeney, at the Cathedral of St. John, N. B., and was attached to the Cathedral for five years. A few months after he was ordained, the bishop appointed him to the charge of the Church of St. John the Baptist, at the Lower Cove, which was then being built, and during his pastorate there, succeeded in paying a very large amount of debt off the church. On leaving there, he was appointed rector of the parish of Carleton, succeeding the vicar general. Father O'Donovan is a member of the C. M. B. A., and is the founder of that order, in his parish. He is popular with all classes.

JOSEPH VITAL RABY, Wholesale and Retail Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born, August, 20th, 1857, at St. Placide, Que. His father's name is Joseph Raby, while his mother's maiden name was Margaret Charlebois, of French descent, but natives of the Province of Quebec. Mr. Raby was educated in the public schools of Quebec Province. When thirteen years of age, he began to learn the trade of moulder. He afterwards worked at this business until he was twenty-five. In 1882, he entered the grocery business in partnership with his brother, in the city of Montreal, and continued with him until 1887. He then left his brother, and started another business on his own account. Mr. Raby has succeeded in securing a large patronage, and has also built up a reputation for strictly honorable dealing. He is a member and director of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, also a member of the Artisans' Benevolent Society. He also belongs to St. Joseph and St. John Baptiste societies. In religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church; in politics, a supporter of the Conservative party. Mr. Raby was married, in 1881, to Miss Virginie Laurendeau.

PETER McSWEENEY, Dry Goods Merchant, Moncton, N.B., was born, April 9th, 1842, at that place. His parents were Peter and Johanna McSweeney, who were natives of Kenmore, County Kerry, Ireland. Mr. McSweeney received his education at Moncton. At an early age, he went to St. John, N. B., and learned the dry goods business. In 1868, he returned to Moncton, and entered into partnership with his brothers, Edward and Thomas, under the firm name of McSweeney Bros. In 1877, our subject started business for himself, and has now the largest dry goods, clothing and millinery business in the city. Mr. McSweeney took an active part in getting the town incorporated; has been councillor, chairman of Finance and Fire committees, member of the Board of Health, and is now chairman of Almshouse Commission. In politics, he is an active Liberal; in religion, is a Roman Catholic. Mr. McSweeney was married, in 1872, to the widow of the late Henry Peters Fisher, of St. John, N.B.

CORNELIUS BRUCE MACDOUGALL, Editor of the *Plain Dealer*, Moncton, N. B., was born February 3rd, 1862, at Campbellton, P. E. I. When about twelve years of age, his parents removed to Moncton, N. B., where he received his education. He then studied law for a short time, after which he entered into journalism. He acted as correspondent for several leading dailies, and was the first city editor of the *Daily Transcript*, of Moncton, in 1882. In politics, he is a Liberal, and has been recognized as an able writer on behalf of that party. In 1891, he began the publication of the *Plain Dealer*, an independent weekly, which he has continued to edit and publish since; he has twice been arrested on charges of criminal libel but acquitted on both occasions. The last time, he criticized the judge in a manner that called forth the most severe charge ever delivered from the bench, in N. B., but the jury found him "not guilty." The *Plain Dealer* is a newsy and popular journal, with a large circulation, which is rapidly increasing.



JOHN A. MACCABE, M.A., LL.D., F.R.S. C., Principal of the Normal School, Ottawa, Ont., was born, in County Caven, Ireland, January 9th, 1842. He was educated in the national schools of his native country, the Normal School, Dublin, and in the Catholic University. After teaching for two years in the national schools, he was appointed English and mathematical master in the Diocesan Seminary, Belfast. He filled similar positions in Cavan and Killarney. In 1869, he was married to Kate Anna, only child of James Kelly, of Ennistymon, County Clare. In the same year, he came to Nova Scotia, and was appointed mathematical master in the Provincial Normal School, Truro; but after a short time he was, at his own request, transferred to the chair of English, a position more congenial to his well-known literary tastes. In 1875, on the opening of the Normal School in Ottawa, he was appointed its first principal, a position he has held since that time. In 1877, he was graduated M.A., from Ottawa University, and, in 1887, received the degree of LL.D., from the same institution. In 1894, he was unanimously elected a fellow of the Royal Society of Canada. Since coming to Ottawa, Dr. MacCabe has filled many responsible positions in connection with different societies and organizations. For three years he was president of the St. Patrick's Literary Association, and two years grand president, for Canada, of the C. M. B. A. He is at present a member of the Board of Examiners for the County of Carleton, and a member of the Head Quarters Board of Examiners for admission to the Royal Military College, Kingston. His educational work, in this province, for the past nineteen years, is well known and appreciated not only by the students who have passed through the Ottawa Normal School, but by all who have met him on the educational platform or read his admittedly able contributions to educational literature. In religion, the Doctor is a member of the Roman Catholic Church.

TAYLOR McVEITY, Barrister and Solicitor, Ottawa, Ont., was born, February 20th, 1860, at Richmond, Carleton County, Ont., and received his early education in the public schools and Collegiate Institute, Ottawa. In 1877, he commenced the study of law, entering the office of the Hon. John O'Connor, Ottawa. After a course of five years, he passed the examinations of barrister and solicitor, at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, and was admitted to the practice of law, in Ontario. He at once opened an office, in Ottawa, where he remained until 1891. The years 1891, '92 and '93, he spent in mining in Ottawa and Pontiac counties, Province of Quebec. About the close of 1893, he again resumed practice in Ottawa, and now holds prominent positions in political and professional circles. For many years he has taken an active interest in the municipal affairs of Ottawa, and in 1888, was elected alderman of that city. In politics, he is a Liberal-Conservative, having, from an early age, taken a most active part in the interests of his party. In 1887, he organized the Macdonald Club, so named in honor of Sir John A. Macdonald, late premier of Canada, this being the first of many clubs of same name established throughout the Dominion of Canada. In 1890, he took an active part in the Equal Rights Movement, in Ottawa city, during which time there were two elections there: a by-election for the Commons, and a general election for the Ontario Legislature, in each of which the Equal Rights candidates were in the field, with Mr. McVeity, as one of their active supporters, doing an immense amount of work to secure the election. In the Dominion Elections of 1887 and 1891, and in the Ontario Elections of 1890, Mr. McVeity was one of the most active campaigners, earning the gratitude of his party. In 1894, he was a candidate for the Provincial House, but after a hot contest, defeated by a small number of votes. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. He is a member of the Masonic Order, the I. O. O. F., I.O.F., and Orange Association.

JOHN BELL LAWRENCE, Merchant, Barrington, N.S., was born in Philadelphia, December 25th, 1823. He is the son of John B. and Isabella Lawrence, natives of Pennsylvania. Mr. Lawrence received his education at the schools of Philadelphia. He then followed a sea-faring life for five years. The last vessel he was in was wrecked, and Mr. Lawrence was landed at Barrington, N.S. He taught school at this point for a number of years, but afterwards entered into a general mercantile business, and is now one of the leading merchants of the county. He has been warden of the county for many years, and has been elected by acclamation on several occasions. He formerly did a large business in shipping, having a number of vessels engaged, principally in the West India and fishing business. He is at present a J. P., and commissioner of schools, and also of the Supreme and County courts. Mr. Lawrence married, in 1856, Catherine Kenney, of Barrington, N. S. In religion, he is a Methodist; in politics, a Liberal.

EGERTON SOMERS ALLEN, Dentist, Yarmouth, N. S., was born at Arcadia, near Yarmouth, February 25th, 1871. He is the son of Stephen Allen, commission merchant of Yarmouth, and Bridget Lent, both natives of Nova Scotia. Dr. Allen received his early education at the schools of Arcadia, continuing his studies at the Yarmouth College, graduating from that institution, with honors, in 1888. In 1891, he began the study of dentistry with the late Dr. Jas. Crosby, of Yarmouth, with whom he remained until September, 1890, when he entered the Philadelphia Dental College, from which institution he graduated with honors and the degree of D. D. S., in 1892. He then succeeded to the practice of the late Dr. Crosby, in Yarmouth, and is rapidly increasing the business. He not only has an extensive practice in Yarmouth, but also in Digby, Shelburne and Yarmouth counties. In religion, Dr. Allen is a member of the Baptist Church; in politics, he is a supporter of the Liberal party.

JOHN ALEXANDER CHESLEY, M.P., Manufacturer, St. John, N. B., was born in the city of St. John, May 10th, 1839. He is the son of William A. Chesley and Mary Ann Algee, natives of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick respectively, and of U. E. Loyalist stock. Mr. Chesley received his education at the schools of St. John, and at the Albert County Grammar School. He then worked on a farm for a time, after which he learned the engineering and machinist business. He subsequently engaged in business for himself, and was the proprietor of an extensive foundry. In 1881, he was appointed census commissioner for the County of St. John, and was also one of the Dominion Liquor License Commissioners. He was first elected to the Council Board of the city of Portland, in 1876, remaining until 1885. During that time, he was elected to the Council of the Municipality of the City and County of St. John. He was mayor of Portland, in 1885 and 1886, and elected by acclamation, to the same office, in 1888. During that time, an act was passed by the Legislature, for the purpose of appointing three commissioners to prepare a scheme to unite Portland with the city of St. John. Mr. Chesley was appointed to represent the city of Portland on this commission. A vote was taken in the Spring of 1889, and the scheme of union, submitted to the people, was carried by a large majority, Portland and St. John becoming one corporation. Mr. Chesley again became alderman, and continued so until 1894, when he retired. He was warden of the County, in 1891 and 1892, and at the by-election of 1892, on the retirement of Mr. Skinner, who was appointed to the office of Judge of Probate, he was elected to the House of Commons by a large majority. He is also a member of the Masonic Fraternity. Mr. Chesley has been married twice: first, in December, 1860, to Mary F. Small; and again, in 1872, to Annie, daughter of J. S. May, Esq., of St. John. His family consists of eight children. He is an Episcopalian.

DUNCAN BYRON MACTAVISH, M.A., Q.C., Ottawa, was born, April 21st, 1852, in Carleton County, Ont. He is a son of the late Alexander MacTavish, a native of Perthshire, Scotland, and Mary McLaren, of St. Fillans. Mr. MacTavish was educated at the High schools of Ottawa and Metcalfe, and at Queen's University, Kingston, graduating B.A. in 1871, and two years later M.A. Mr. MacTavish then entered upon the study of law in the office of Robert Cassels, Esq., Q. C., and afterwards studied with Messrs. Mowat, MacLennan and Downey, Toronto. In 1877, he was called to the Bar, and began practice, in Ottawa, in the following year. In the early part of his professional career, he evinced considerable sound judgment and tact, and was soon surrounded by a numerous clientele, but it was not until a later period that he manifested that degree of legal learning and ability which brought him to the front rank among the lawyers of the province. After practising alone for some time, he formed a partnership with John MacCraken, Esq., the firm being MacTavish & MacCraken, which was afterwards changed upon the entrance of Hon. R. W. Scott, to Scott, MacTavish & MacCraken. This latter partnership was dissolved in 1888, when Mr. MacTavish united with Martin O'Gara, Q.C., with whom he is still associated (1894). In 1882, Mr. MacTavish was appointed Solicitor for the city of Ottawa, and has since discharged the duties of this important position in a most able manner. Mr. McTavish was created Q.C. in 1890. In politics, he is an active Liberal. He belongs to the Masonic Order, St. Andrew's Society, and is an elder in Stewarton Presbyterian Church, Ottawa. Mr. MacTavish was married, in 1886, to Miss Flora Stewart, daughter of the late William Stewart, M. P., whose lineage may be traced back to the Stewarts of Appin, who have been immortalized in verse by the poet Hogg, and of whom a history was published, in Edinburgh, in 1880.

REV. WM. JOHN HALSE, F. C., Baptist Minister of Portland, St. John, N. B., was born in Boston, Mass., August 5th, 1849. His parents were John and Eliza Halse, who removed to St. John, when he was two years of age. Mr. Halse's early education was limited, and he is entirely a self-educated man. He was ordained in 1874, at Hebron, Mass., and took charge of the F. C. Baptist Church at Sutton Flats, Que. In 1882, he removed to Portland, which is now the north part of the city of St. John, doing good work until 1887, when he removed to Lowell, Mass., remaining until March, 1890. He then ministered at Arlington, R.I., until October, 1892, when he accepted a call to return to Portland. Since his return, the congregation has greatly increased. Mr. Halse was married, November 3rd, 1870, to Isabella, daughter of Thomas Rodgers, of Springfield, N. B. His family consists of three children. He has also held high offices in connection with Temperance societies, and is a member of York L. O. L. No. 3., St. John, N.B.

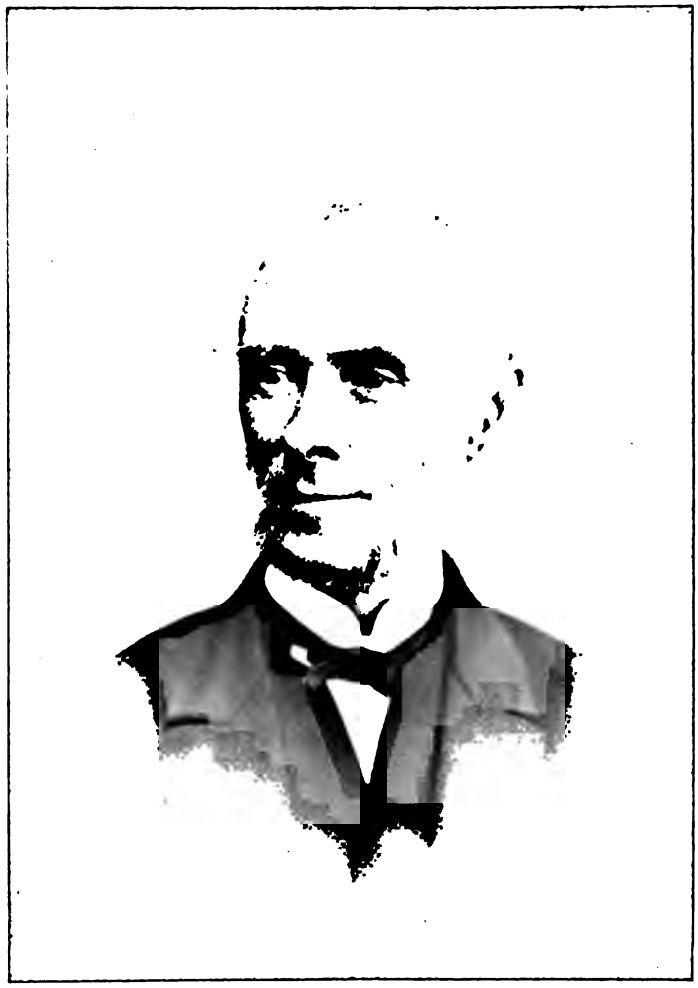
WM. RICHARD GREENE, L.D.S., D.D.S., Ottawa, Ont., was born March 16th, 1869, at Douglis, County Renfrew, Ont. His parents were M. A. and Mary (Moorcroft) Greene. Dr. Greene was educated in Appleton Public School, and Carleton Place High School, from which he matriculated. He then entered on the study of dentistry in the city of Ottawa, where he served as student with some of the leading men of the profession. He received the degree of licentiate of dental surgery, from the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, and is an honor graduate of Toronto University, with the degree of D.D.S. After successfully passing his examinations admitting him to practice, he opened an office in Ottawa, corner Bank and Sparks streets, where he still continues, and is building up a large and enviable connection. He is also a member of the Independant Order of Foresters. In politics, he is an Independent with Conservative leanings. He is a Methodist, and a member of McLeod Street Methodist Church.

MAJOR JOHN HODGINS, Barrister and Solicitor, Ottawa, Ont., was born in Huntley, Carleton Co., Ont., August 12th, 1852. He is a son of the late James Hodgins, who came to this country in 1821, and settled in the Ottawa Valley, when it was a complete wilderness. Our subject was educated at Huntley, and at the County Grammar School of Carleton. In 1870, he was gold medallist of that institution. He afterwards studied in Toronto, but his health failing him, he entered the civil service of Canada, in which he remained until 1874. He then commenced the study of law, in the office of Cameron, McMichael & Hoskins, Toronto, subsequently studying at Osgoode Hall Law School. In 1879, he was called to the Bar, shortly afterwards removing to Ottawa, where he began to practise. It was not long before he found himself in possession of an extensive connection, and he is now one of the most important men of the city. He has also been identified with military matters, holding a commission in the Governor-General's Foot Guards. In politics, he is an active Conservative. He married, in 1892, Mina Augusta, only daughter of Hon. Lemuel G. Downes, of Calais, Maine.

ROBERT SURTEES, C. E., M. Can. Soc. C. E., City Engineer, Ottawa, was born at Ravensworth, Yorkshire, Eng., in 1835. His parents were Robert Surtees, M.D., and Catherine Cathrick, both of whom were descendants of well-known families of Yorkshire and Durham. Mr. Surtees was educated at a private academy in Ravensworth. He afterwards served an apprenticeship with a civil engineer, in Darlington, remaining there until he was twenty-one years of age, when he emigrated to Canada. He first located in Hamilton, where his ability, in his profession, attracted attention, and secured for him the appointment of assistant city engineer. He remained in Hamilton four years, when he removed to Ottawa. In 1875, he was appointed to the position of city engineer for Ottawa, and under his supervision and direction, some important works have been carried through. In religion, Mr. Surtees is a member of the Church of England. He was formerly a supporter of the Conservative party, but now, on account of his public position, takes no active part. In 1869, he married Lucy, daughter of the late William Jeffrey, of Hamilton. His family consists of four sons and three daughters, living.

HON. HENRI GEDEON MALHIOT, Q.C., Aylmer East, Que., Judge of the Superior Court for the Province of Quebec, was born, March 6th, 1837, at St. Pierre-les-Becquets, Que. He was educated in the colleges of Nicolet, Chambly and Joliette, where he received his classical training. He then took up the study of law in Quebec, and was called to the Bar of Lower Canada, November 8th, 1858. He afterwards opened an office in Three Rivers, Que., where he practised his profession until he was called to the bench. While residing at this place, he took an active interest in its municipal affairs, and was elected to the office of mayor in 1885, and re-elected to the same office each year, until his appointment to the bench of the Superior Court in 1888. He was elected a member of the Quebec Legislature in 1871, and on September 22nd of the year 1874, was appointed one of the Executive Council of the Province in the DeBoucherville administration, and was also Commissioner of Crown Lands and leader of the House. In 1876, he was appointed a commissioner to build, for the Government of Quebec, the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Western Railway, now forming a part of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and presided at the construction of this railroad. In 1880, he was made a Q.C. by the Dominion Government, and was called to the bench in September, 1888. Judge Malhiot has also been identified with military affairs. During the Fenian Raid of 1866, he was captain of No. 2 Company of Three Rivers Volunteers, and served with his company at the front. He was married, in 1865, to Miss Elizabeth Eugenia, daughter of D. G. LaBarre, Esq., Notary Public, Three Rivers, Que., and after her death, he married, in 1884, Miss Louise, daughter of the late Louis Auguste Olivier, Senator, and afterwards Judge of the Superior Court for the Province of Quebec. His family consists of one daughter, Alice, now the wife of Eusèbe Morin, Esq., of St. Hyacinthe, Que.

MALCOLM MACLEOD, Q. C., ex-District Judge of the Province of Quebec, Hull, Que., was born, October 22nd, 1821, at Green Lake Fort, a Hudson's Bay Company's Trading Post, on Beaver River, N. W. T. His father was John MacLeod, chief trader of the Hudson's Bay Company, while his mother was Charlotte, daughter of John P. Pruden, chief factor of the Hudson's Bay Company. Mr. MacLeod was educated in the High School, Edinburgh, Scotland. After coming to Canada, he studied law and passed his examination, as barrister and advocate, in December, 1845, which profession he practised successfully in the Province of Quebec. He was afterwards appointed judge as above indicated. In politics, he is a Conservative, with firm adherence to British connection. In 1869, he was the first to indicate, from his personal knowledge, of the whole route from Atlantic to Pacific, a feasible line of transcontinental railway. This was done in a series of letters, signed "Britannicus", in the Ottawa *Times*, and in several pamphlets, from that time to June, 1880, in which he also gave to the world a knowledge of the immense agricultural resources of the Canadian North-West, not before reported. His testimony on these subjects, largely reported in our blue books, proves him to have been of eminent service in the annexation and due appreciation of the value of the N. W. T. and Rupert's Land. It was on such information that the scheme of a C. P. R. was practically started. Amongst his books and pamphlets on the subject is his work "Peace River," copiously quoted in Bancroft's History of British Columbia and his North-West Coast of America, and also in Appleton's Encyclopædia of American Biography. For his pamphlet "Problem of Canada," forecasting, in 1880, the development of the C. P. R., distributed in England, he received the autograph and complimentary acknowledgements of the Marquis of Salisbury, Mr. Gladstone and others. In religion, he is a Presbyterian.



JAMES EUGENE MANNING, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born November, 11th, 1856, in St. Colomban, Que. His father's name was Eugene Manning, while his mother's maiden name was Annie Hall. Mr. Manning was educated in the public schools of the Province of Quebec, where he received a sound business training. He began business life as a clerk, which occupation he followed for six or seven years. He then commenced business on his own account, in 1882, in the city of Montreal, and has built up an extensive and paying connection. He is thoroughly alive to the numerous requirements of his trade, and is therefore in a position to retain the large patronage which he had succeeded in gathering. Mr. Manning is a member of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, and a director of the same. In religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church; in politics, a supporter of the Conservative party. Mr. Manning was married, in 1885, to Miss Mary Ann McKenna. His family consists of four children.

THOMAS GAUTHIER, Wholesale and Retail Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born, December 30th, 1859, in Boucherville, Que. His father's name was Louis Gauthier, while his mother's maiden name was Henriette Arcand, of French descent. Mr. Gauthier received his education in the public schools. In 1873, he removed to Montreal, and engaged as clerk, at which he continued for ten years. During this time he succeeded in acquiring a thorough business training. In 1883, he began business on his own account, and has succeeded in building up a large trade. Mr. Gauthier is a member of the Retail Grocers' Association, a director of the same, and takes an active interest in the prosperity of that organization. He is also a member of the Foresters. In religion, Mr. Gauthier is a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and in politics, a supporter of the Conservative party. He was married, in 1885, in Montreal, to Miss Germaine Gelinas. His family consists of two sons, seven and nine years of age.

PROF. FREDERICK CHARLES SMYTHE, Mus. Bac., Principal of the Canadian College of Music, Ottawa, was born in Antrim, Ireland, in 1847. His father, James Smythe, was an extensive linen manufacturer. Prof. Smythe was educated at Grace Hill Academy and Trinity College, Dublin. At the latter, he graduated Mus. Bac., in 1869. He had early shown a decided preference for music, and so brilliant were his talents, that at the age of nineteen, he was chosen as the successor to Dr. Chipp, on the recommendation of that distinguished musician, as organist of St. George's Church, Belfast. This position he resigned, in 1873, and became organist of St. James Church, in the same city, where he officiated for sixteen years. In 1889, he came to Canada, and shortly after, became organist of Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal. This position, he resigned at the end of one year, to accept the principalship of the Canadian College of Music and the position of organist of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, Ont. Prof. Smythe was married, in 1871, at Belfast, Ireland, to Mary Frances, daughter of R. R. Hudson, Esq., Mrs. Smythe is an accomplished vocalist.

GEO. McLAURIN, B. A., LL. B., Barrister and Solicitor, Ottawa, Ont., was born in 1853, in Russell County, Ont. His parents were Peter C. McLaurin and Elizabeth Anderson. Mr. McLaurin was educated at the High School, in Cumberland, Ont., where he prepared for Toronto University. He entered Toronto University, in 1873, and graduated B. A., in 1877, taking honors in metaphysics. He afterwards entered the law office of Messrs. Blake, Kerr & Boyd, with whom he studied law, and was admitted to the Bar, 1880. He received the degree of LL. B. from Toronto University, in the same year, and began practice in Ottawa, in 1881, on his own account. After practising alone for some years, he formed a partnership with Mr. H. Millar, which has since existed under the style of McLaurin & Millar. During his professional career, which has now covered fifteen years, Mr. McLaurin has made a speciality of commercial litigation, and has, for the past six years, held the position of lecturer on commercial law, in the Ottawa Business College. He was married, in 1889, to Miss Mary C. B. Clarke, daughter of Dr. R. C. Clarke, of Templeton, Que.

JOSEPH GIROUARD, Notary, M. P., St. Benoit, Que., was born in that place, April 8th, 1854. His father was Jean Joseph Girouard, a descendant of an old Acadian family, while his mother's maiden name was Emilie Berthelot, a descendant of an old French family. The former was also a notary public, and one of the most distinguished notaries of his day. He was a member of Parliament for Canada, from 1832 to 1837, and at the rebellion of 1837-38, was with Papineau, the leader of the rebellion, and was put in gaol for eight months. $500.00 was offered for his capture, dead or alive, but he delivered himself to a loyalist and was imprisoned. The house, now occupied by our subject, was built in 1842, on the foundation of the house occupied by his father. Sir John Colborne and his soldiers slept in this house one night, and in the morning burnt it to the ground. It was sixteen years after these memorable events that our subject was born. He spent his early years at St. Benoit, his native place, and afterwards went to the Montreal Seminary, where he received his education. He entered McGill University in 1875, where he remained two years, when he passed his notary examinations. He then commenced the practice of his profession at St. Benoit, where he has since remained, having built up for himself a large and lucrative practice. Being the successor of his father, he is the depositary of many old and historic documents. He is agent of the Seminary of Montreal. In politics, he is an active Conservative. In 1892, upon the death of J. B. Daoust, he became the Conservative candidate for Two Mountains for the Commons, and elected by a large majority. Mr. Girouard is also secretary-treasurer of the School Board, and has twice been elected a member of the Board of Notaries for the Province of Quebec. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. On August 19th, 1879, he married Célanire Plessis-Bélair, of Two Mountains County. His family consists of three children, one son and two daughters.

WILLIAM JOSEPH POUPORE, Mill Owner and Contractor, senior partner of the firm of Poupore & Fraser, with head quarters at Morrisburg, Ont., Chichester, Que., was born April 29th, 1846, and is of Norman French descent. He was educated at the place of his birth, and at the Ottawa Commercial College. He also studied law for one year. He commenced business as a storekeeper, in 1870; in 1872, built a saw and carding mill, and in 1875, a grist mill in Chichester village. In 1878, he began business as contractor. He obtained a contract for the construction of the Calumet and Roche Fonder Dams, which were completed in 1883. In 1884, he added lumbering to his other operations, and in 1886, he obtained the contract for the construction of a lock and dams on the Lierre River, which were completed in 1890. He also obtained the contract for the construction of the new lock and the enlargement of sections Nos. 1 and 3 of the Rapid Plat Canal, which he is now completing. He has also under construction section No. 11 of the Soulanges Canal. He has recently purchased the franchise for the construction of Water Works in Aylmer, Que., and the firm of Poupore & Fraser are to be the owners of the same on completion. Mr. Poupore has also been warden of the County of Pontiac, mayor of Chichester, and chairman of the school commissioners. He was connected with the Pontiac and Pacific Junction Railway, and was instrumental in building the Bryson-Calumet Iron Bridge. He is a Conservative and sat in the Quebec Legislature from 1882 to 1892, but in the latter year was defeated on account of having become a non-resident. In religion, Mr. Poupore is a Roman Catholic. He is also a member the C. M. B. A., and vice-president of branch No. 35, Morrisburg. He was married, August 31st, 1870, to Barbara Eleonore, daughter of John Poupore, Esq., and ex-M.P.P. for Pontiac County, Quebec. His family consists of four sons and four daughters, living.

JOHN ROBERTSON, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born in Outremont, Que., May 10th, 1842. His parents were James and Isabella Robertson, highly respected residents of that place. Mr. Robertson was educated in the public schools. His first occupation was that of a clerk, and in 1870, he started business for himself, and has done very much towards uniting the trade to which he belongs, being one of the founders of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, which was organized in 1885; he has been a member of its executive committee for some years. He is also a member of St. Andrew's Society and Caledonian Society, and held the office of president of the latter for several years. In religion, Mr. Robertson is a Presbyterian; in politics, a Liberal. In 1865, Mr. Robertson was married to Miss Catherine, daughter of C. Baillie, Esq. His family consists of two sons: C. J. Robertson, the elder, is a mechanical draughtsman in Plainfield, N. J., and his younger son, J. H. Robertson, is in partnership with his father.

JOHN MURPHY, Merchant, Montreal, was born, July 29th, 1834, in that city. His parents were Alexander Murphy and Jane Allen. Mr. Murphy was educated at the public and private schools of Montreal and McGill University. He first engaged with William and Robert Muir, wholesale dry goods merchants. After this, he was engaged with his father, until the latter retired. Mr. Murphy and his brother, Alexander A., then succeeded to their father's business, under the name of Murphy Bros. In 1870, they dissolved partnership, and Mr. John Murphy established the business John Murphy & Co., at the corner of St. Peter and Notre Dame streets. In 1894, he moved into the large and magnificent store, at the corner of St. Catherine and Metcalfe streets. Mr. Murphy is an elder in the American Presbyterian Church, and an active member of the Y. M. C. A. In 1862, he married Margaret, daughter of Jas. Gill, Esq., of Montreal. His family consists of five daughters, two of whom are married.

J. B. A. MONGENAIS, Member of the firms of Dufresne & Mongenais, and Mongenais, Boivin & Co., Montreal, Que., was born, September 10th, 1834, in Rigaud County, Vaudreuil, Que. His father represented the County of Vaudreuil, for eighteen years, in the House of Commons. He received his education in Worcester, Mass., and at the Jesuits' College, Montreal. In 1857, he started a general store in Rigaud, where he occupied the position of mayor of the town for twenty-five years. In 1876, he formed a partnership with Mr. Dufresne, in Montreal, carrying on a successful business, as wholesale and retail grocers. In 1884, he, in partnership with Mr. Dufresne, established the house of Mongenais, Boivin & Co., importing wine, house and plate glass, also established the Montreal Plate Glass Insurance Co. In politics, he is an Independent, with Conservative leanings. He is also a member of the Board of Trade, Chambre de Commerce, and governor for life of the Notre-Dame Hospital. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic.

JOHN J. HANNAN, Importer and Manufacturer of Gentlemen's Fine Furnishing Goods, Montreal, Que., was born, September 21st, 1854, at Danville, Que. His parents were Maurice and Mary Ann (Casey) Hannan, natives of Ireland. The former came to this country at the age of eighteen, where he carried on business successfully, until about twenty years ago, when he retired. Mr. Hannan is also a brother of the Rev. Father Hannan, of Cookshire, Que. He was educated at Danville Academy, under the tuition of the late Mr. Jordon. He began business, in 1872, on Notre Dame street, Montreal, but his trade increased so rapidly, that in 1889, he had to remove to St. James street, where he has one of the finest concerns in Canada. The ground floor of the building is 40 x 120 feet. Mr. Hannan employs a great many hands the year round, in the manufacture of shirts and collars, and his business is conducted in the most straightforward manner. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a supporter of the Conservative party.

DUNCAN M. McEACHRAN, Montreal, was born in Campbelltown, Argyleshire, Scotland, Oct. 27th, 1841. He is the son of the late David McEachran, whose family is one of the oldest in Kintyre. He was educated in the Free Church Grammar School, Campbelltown, and afterwards graduated V.S. in 1861. He then became a member of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons, and was elected one of the original Fellows of that body on its elevation to the rank of a university in 1877. In 1862 he came to Canada, and for about three years practised at Woodstock, Ont. In 1866 he removed to Montreal. Steps were taken to lay the foundations of veterinary teaching, and the same year, the Montreal Veterinary College was established. In 1890, when this school became the Faculty of Comparative Medicine and Veterinary Science of McGill University, Dr. McEachran was appointed dean. For ten years he was V.S. to the Montreal Field Battery of Artillery. He has been intimately connected with cattle ranching, Senator Cochrane and himself being the pioneers of that enterprise on a large scale in Canada, and established the ranch bearing the Senator's name in 1881. Mr. McEachran was vice-president of the same until 1883, when he became general manager of the Walrond Cattle Ranch Co. In 1875 he pressed upon the Government the necessity of a cattle quarantine system, and in April, 1876, was appointed chief inspector, which position he still holds. This appointment resulted in the permanent establishment of cattle quarantines throughout the Dominion, and to his foresight and timely advice to the Government as chief adviser on all stock matters is largely due the immunity from contagious diseases in animals in Canada. He is a member of the Natural History and Microscopic Societies, and vice-president of the Association of Veterinary Faculties of North America. Dr. McEachran was married, in 1868, to Esther, third daughter of the late T. Plaskett, Esq., of St. Croix, W. I. Islands.

HON. LOUIS JOSEPH PAPINEAU, was born in Montreal, October 7th, 1786. He was the son of Joseph Papineau, one of the principal promoters of the Constitution of 1791, and a member of the first parliament under that constitution. Mr. L. J. Papineau was educated chiefly at the Seminary of Quebec, and having studied law, was admitted to the Bar of Lower Canada in 1811. In 1809, he was elected to the Legislative Assembly for the County of Kent (now Chambly), and in 1815, appointed Speaker of the House. He held this office with only two years' intermission to England, as delegate of the Assembly, in 1822-23, for twenty-five years. He was the author of the celebrated 92 Resolutions of 1834, containing all the grievances of the provinces. In 1837, he threw himself heartily into what he considered the right course to obtain Responsible Government. In 1822, the union of Upper and Lower Canada being on the tapis, and it being distasteful to many, he, in company with John Nelson, went to England, and succeeded in getting the union postponed till 1840. In 1827, difficulties arose between the Governor and Mr. Papineau, to such a height, that the former refused to acknowledge Mr. Papineau as Speaker. The Assembly triumphed, however, and Lord Dalhousie resigned his office as governor. He was succeeded by Sir James Kempt, who duly accepted Mr. Papineau as Speaker and gave him one of the greatest triumphs ever achieved in the political arena of any country. Political troubles increased, and in 1836-38, the so-called leaders of the disturbance, and Mr. Papineau as one, fled to the United States, where he remained from 1837 until 1839. He then resided in Paris, France, until 1847, when the issue of the amnesty proclamation enabled him to return. He was again in parliament until 1854, when he retired and for the rest of his life, enjoyed the esteem of all those who knew him. His death took place, September 23rd, 1871, at Monte Bello, where his son, Louis J. A., still resides.

LOUIS J. A. PAPINEAU, Seignior of Papineau, Que., which seigniory includes Monte Bello, Papineauville, Plaisance and other localities, was born in Montreal, on the 26th day of July, 1819. He is the eldest son of Louis Joseph Papineau, the leader of the Canadian Insurrection of 1837-38, and the greatest of French Canadians. Mr. Papineau was early called upon to take an active part in the history of his country. Upon the outbreak of the Rebellion of 1837, he was old enough to take part, and was appointed captain in the regiment led by Col. Rodolphe Des Rivières, who was transported to Bermuda for his part in the uprising, but soon afterwards allowed to return. The Seignior still has in his museum the flag which the insurgents carried, and the sword and musket carried by himself as captain. He was afterwards appointed prothonotary in Montreal, which position he held for thirty-two years, when he resigned. He afterwards travelled extensively in Europe, storing his mind with knowledge, ere settling upon his seigniory. He has, for many years, given his attention to beautifying his property, which is located on the banks of the Ottawa, and forms one of the most picturesque spots in Canada. The Seigniory fronts fifteen miles on the Ottawa, and runs fifteen miles north, while about two miles from the river the Laurentian mountains rise to a considerable height. Upon it is a large quadrangular three story edifice with high towers at the angles, after the French fashion; around are well kept gardens and an extensive museum, which the proprietor throws open twice a week to visitors. It is an ideal retreat for a weary statesman, as it was for Louis Joseph Papineau, who died there, 23rd September, 1871, and for an aged scholar, as it now is for the subject of this sketch. He married Miss Westcott, of Saratoga. His family consists of one son and one daughter, in Europe. In 1893, Mr. Papineau startled all Canada by renouncing the Catholic faith.

ALEXANDER MACLEAN, Managing-Director of the *Montreal Herald*, was born in Brant County, Ont., December 9th, 1834. His parents were John and Isabella (McRae) MacLean. Mr. MacLean was educated in Paris, Ont. He then taught school for a short time, after which he followed mercantile life at Paris some four years. In 1861 he established the Mitchell *Reformer*. In 1865 he went to Cornwall, publishing the *Freeholder* until 1872, when he went to Ottawa as correspondent of *The Globe*. In 1874, in partnership with Mr. J. C. Roger, he purchased the Ottawa *Times*, and obtained shortly thereafter the contract for the parliamentary and departmental printing. In 1875 they disposed of the *Times*, giving their full attention to Government printing, which they continued to perform until the establishment of the Government Printing Bureau in 1888. From that time until May, 1894, he and Mr. Roger attended to their interests in the Canadian Granite Co., Ottawa. At this time he and Mr. Roger joined the Montreal *Herald* Co., Mr. MacLean as managing-director and Mr. Roger as superintendent. In 1889 and 1890 he was elected alderman for Wellington Ward, Ottawa, and in 1893 and 1894 for Victoria Ward. He was one of the most active aldermen, in 1890, in procuring the adoption of the electric railway in Ottawa, as in 1893-94 he was for completing the amalgamation of the horse and electric railway companies. In politics he is a Reformer, and his pen has always been active in advancing the views held by him. His ability as a journalist is evidenced by the position he holds in managing the *Herald*, the leading Liberal newspaper of Montreal. In religion Mr. MacLean is a Presbyterian. He is a prominent member of the Masonic, St. Andrew's and Ottawa Arts Societies, president of the Central Canada Exhibition Association and of the Ottawa Reform Association. He was married, November 20th, 1863 to Sarah, daughter of John Smith, Esq., St. George, Ont. His family consists of six sons and one daughter.

THOMAS KEARNS, Merchant, Montreal, was born, August 9th, 1858, in that city. In 1876, he joined the 60th Rifles, and was ordered to Portsmouth, Eng. When the Zulu War broke out, in 1879, he was ordered to South Africa. He took part in the Boer Rebellion of 1880, and, in 1882, was ordered to Alexandria, Egypt, and saw active service at Ramleh. On the arrival of Gen. Wolseley he went to Ismaillia, Egypt. He had four engagements between this and the final engagement, Sept. 13th, 1882, at Tel-el-kiber. He was stationed at Cairo, until the cholera epidemic of 1883. With the Mounted Infantry, he proceeded to Suakim, and took an active part against Osman Digna's forces. For the relief of Gen. Gordon, he went with the Mounted Infantry, under Col. Barrow, to Assouan, and from thence to Kortie, taking part at the battles of Abu-Klea and Gubat, Jan. 17th and 19th, 1885. He purchased his discharge, returning to Montreal with three war medals and six clasps in his possession. In 1886, he went into business in that city.

CHARLES JOSEPH SPENARD, Grocer and Provision Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born, April 7th, 1864, in that city. His father's name was Charles Spenard, while his mother's maiden name was Mary Emelie Pomminville. Mr. Spenard received his education at Plateau College, Montreal, receiving a good business training at that institution. He was then engaged, for some four years, with Mr. John Scanlan, as clerk, and afterwards four years in the employ of Mr. James O'Shaughnessy. Then,in 1892,he began business on his own account, purchasing the business which he now conducts. During the short time in which he has been in business in Montreal, he has gathered a large patronage. In religion, Mr. Spenard is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. He is also a member of the Catholic Mutual Benevolent Association, Catholic Order of Foresters, St. Lawrence Court, No. 263. In politics, he is a supporter of the Reform party. Mr. Spenard married, in 1892, Marie Louise, daughter of Albert Tremblay, Esq., of Montreal.

ALEXANDER BURRITT, Registrar of Deeds for the city of Ottawa, was born, July 2nd, 1830, in the Township of Wolford, County of Granville. His parents were Edmund and Anna (Dunham) Burritt. The former was born at Burritt's Rapids, on the Rideau River, December 8th, 1793, and is said to have been the first white child born in that vicinity. The latter was born, in the year 1793, also, in the Township of North Augusta. Both were descendants of U. E. Loyalists. Our subject was educated at Dick's Academy, Brockville. After occupying various responsible positions, Mr. Burritt was appointed to the position of Registrar of Deeds for the city of Ottawa, the duties of which he still continues to discharge with the best of satisfaction. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. He was married, November 28th, 1860, to Sarah Foster, daughter of Archibald and Mary Foster, old residents of Bytown. He has had a family of five children, namely, Mary Vincent, Anna C., Alex. H., Edmund F. and Archibald D., all living except the last, who died in infancy. Alex. H. is a mechanical and electrical engineer, residing in Lynn, Mass., and Edmund F., is a barrister, in Ottawa.

EDWARD J. C. KENNEDY, M.D., Montreal, was born in that city, September 18th, 1866. His parents were Edward Henry Kennedy and Johanna Conroy. Dr. Kennedy received his classical education at the Montreal College. He graduated with distinction in medicine at Victoria University, in 1889. Immediately afterwards, he was appointed house physician to the Longue Pointe Insane Asylum. He resigned, in September of the same year, and departed for France, where he spent a year in Paris, under professors Charcot and Potain. He then went to Germany and entered the University of Berlin, where he spent two years devoting his time to the study of pathology and bacteriology, in the laboratories of professors Koch and Virchon. During his residence in Berlin, he was one of the organizers of the American Medical Society of which he was vice-president. In the autumn of 1892, he entered the Royal Saxon Hospital at Dresden as "interne" assistant to professor Leopold. He returned to Montreal in the following spring, and has since built up a lucrative connection. He is attending physician to the Hotel Dieu Hospital. He is a member of many fraternal and scientific societies.

EDWARD DOUGLAS FRITZ, B. A., M. D., C. M., St. John, New Brunswick, Specialist in Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, was born, May 3rd, 1864, in that city. His parents were Jacob Fritz and Eliza Slocomb, natives of Nova Scotia. His father lost his life on the Steamer "Cedar Grove," of which he was commander, off Cape Canso, N. S., refusing to leave the steamer until it was too late to be saved. Dr. Fritz was educated primarily at the public schools of St. John. In the summer of 1882, he graduated, gaining the corporation gold medal, then matriculated at the University of New Brunswick, in September of the same year, and won the scholarship of $60.00, awarded for classics among members of Freshman class. In this junior year, he took honors in science, and in the senior year, besides acting as editor-in-chief of the *University Monthly*, graduated in the first division of his class, winning the Alumni Gold Medal, in 1884. In the Fall of the latter year, he entered the medical department of McGill University, Montreal, won the anatomy prize at the end of the second year, and graduated second in his class, in March, 1888. After practising general medicine, for nearly four years, he studied in New York, giving special attention to diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. While in New York, he was private assistant to Prof. Emil Gruening, and clinical assistant to the New York Polyclinic Hospital, New York Eye and Ear Infirmery, and Vanderbilt Nose and Throat Clinic. He afterwards returned to New Brunswick and commenced to practise as specialist in St. John, in the summer of 1893, where he has already won the confidence of the public, and is working up a desirable connection. His thorough medical training amply fits him for his profession. He is at present oculist and aurist to St. John General Public Hospital. In politics, he is a Conservative, in religion a Roman Catholic. He is a member of the I. O. O. F., Knights of Pythias and Masonic Fraternity.

MOSES CHAMBERLAIN EDEY, Architect, etc., Ottawa, Ont., was born, in September 1845, in Pontiac County, Que. He is the son of Richard and Mary Edey. His parental grand parents were born in Vermont, but being dissatisfied with the changes that had taken place there, determined to brave the difficulties and hardships of a pioneer life in Canada. In 1812, they settled in Aylmer, Que., where the father of our subject was born. His wife, whose maiden name was Wyman, is of a family distinguished in the annals of both American and Canadian history, her forefathers having sailed from England for America in the "May Flower". Mr. Edey's parents are still living, and in 1892, celebrated their golden wedding, under most auspicious circumstances. Mr. Edey received a good education at the common schools. At the age of seventeen, he removed to Arnprior, where he learned the carriagemaking trade, afterwards working three years at the same business in Ottawa. He went to Toronto, spending a year under Mr. Thomas, receiving instruction in the building trade. He then proceeded to Moravia, N.Y., where he studied under Mr. Z. T. Stearns, Architect, and was afterwards, for a time, connected with the Casey Tool Co., of Auburn, N.Y. He then carried on building in Ottawa, but on account of his health, retired, and has since devoted himself strictly to his profession. For five years, Mr. Edey attended the Ottawa School of Art, and holds diplomas for practical geometry, free hand drawing, drawing from models, building, construction and industrial design. He is also a member of the Ontario Society of Architects, the A. O. U. W. and Select Knights, Ottawa; was a member of the Garrison Battery, Ottawa, two years, and served with that corps at Prescott. In religion, Mr. Edey is a Methodist; in politics, a Liberal-Conservative. He was married, in May, 1872, to Mary, daughter of Thomas Williams, Esq., of Russell County, Ont. His family consists of two daughters.

FÉLIX CORNU, M. D., L. Ph., Montreal, son of David Cornu, J. P., and Louise Cruchet, was born at Angers, Que., October 13th, 1865. His early education was made in Switzerland and at Sabrevois College, Montreal. Matriculating in arts in Bishop's University, and graduated M. D. with honors, in 1887, from Victoria University. He then practised at Angers, until the Autumn of 1889, when he passed his examination at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Toronto. In November, 1889, he located in Montreal, engaging in pharmacy. In 1892, he went to Europe, spending some time in Great Britain, France, Belgium, Switzerland and Italy, studying his profession, and two years in Paris, France, under the highest authorities in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. He also made bacteriological studies under Roux and Metschnikoff, Pasteur's Institute, was an attending member of various medical Congressional gatherings. May 23rd, 1894, he married Irma, daughter of Napoleon Perret Gentil, of Basle. The doctor is a member of various medical societies in Europe and Canada, and has given indications of a most brilliant future before him.

LÉONIDAS LEFEBVRE, Wholesale Merchant, Montreal, was born at Charlesbourg, Que., December 13th, 1864. His father was B. Lefebvre, a prominent agriculturist of that place, who took an active part in the municipal matters of his parish, being at one time mayor. His mother's maiden name was Marguerite Bélanger. Our subject received his education at Quebec Seminary and Quebec Academy, at which institutions he received his classical and commercial training, completing his studies in 1882. He then went into the hardware business in Quebec, where he remained four years, after which he removed to Montreal, and became connected with the hardware establishment of Piché, Tisdale & Co., with whom he remained about seven years. In October, 1893, he commenced business as a wholesale merchant and general agent on St. Paul street. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative. He is a member of the I. O. F. Dec. 1st, 1894, he married Elizabeth, daughter of Benj. Corbeau, of Montreal.

HUGH BRODIE, Notary Public, Montreal, was born April 24th, 1842, at St. Henri, Que. His parents were Hugh and Amelia (Ogilvie) Brodie. The former was a trooper in the old Lachine Cavalry, and served during the rebellion of 1837-38, while his mother was the daughter of the late Archibald Ogilvie, who also served during that rebellion. Mr. Brodie was educated in the school of his native village, the school of C. P. Watson, Montreal, and Lower Canada College, Montreal. In 1858 he commenced the study of his profession, and graduated in February, 1864. He now has a large clientelle in Montreal. Mr. Brodie has been sec.-treas. of the County of Hochelaga Agricultural Society since January, 1864. He is also a member of the A.F. & A.M., A.O. U.W., I.O.F., and a life member of the Caledonia Society of Montreal. In religion he is a Presbyterian; in politics, an Independent. Mr. Brodie was married, in 1867, to Miss Christina Christie, of Meaford, Ont. His family consists of three sons and two daughters.

JOSEPH PIERRE GADBOIS, M.D., Montreal, was born, August 16th, 1868, at St. Urbain, County of Chateauguay, Que. His parents were Pierre Gadbois and Aglaée Langlois. Dr. Gadbois received his education at the Christian Brothers' School, St. John's, Que., and his classical education at Montreal College. He then entered the Victoria School of Medicine and Surgery, where he graduated, in 1892, with the degrees of M. D., C. M. He has ever since practised in Montreal. In 1892, he, with Father Murphy, opened a hospital on Cathcart street, Montreal, for the treatment of inebriates. In 1893, he established the Hospital Gadbois for the treatment of inebriates. He has built up a large practice, being the only physician in Montreal, treating that class. He also makes a special study of "Psychology." In religion, the Doctor is a Roman Catholic; in politics, an Independent. He is also a member of the Cosmopolitan Foresters, I. O. F. and Union St. Pierre. May 31st, 1893, he married Julia Gabrielle Gauthier.

JOEL LANCTOT, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born, December 3rd, 1859, in the Parish of St. Constant, County of Laprairie, Que. His father's name is Solomon Lanctot, while his mother's maiden name was Marie Niding. He received his primary education at the parish schools of St. Constant, after which he removed to the city of Montreal, where he attended the Archambault School. Then, in order to more thoroughly prepare himself for business life, he took a course at the Montreal Business College in that city. He was afterwards employed by Alex. Shannon, for whom he clerked three years, after which he was with J. E. Manning, in a similar capacity, for ten years. He then began business for himself in 1892, at 837 St. Dominique street, corner of Rachel street, Montreal, where he does a fine business. In religion, Mr. Lanctot is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. He is also a member of the Artizans' Benevolent Society. He was married, in 1887, to Miss Eudoxie Blain. His family consists of one son.

ARTHUR GAREAU, L.D.S., Montreal, P. Q., was born, January 27th, 1863, in that city. His father's name is Charles Gareau, while his mother's maiden name was Lucie Delinelle, of French descent. Mr. Gareau was educated in St. Michael's College, Toronto and St. Hyacinthe College. After completing his courses at these institutions, he decided to follow the dental profession and immediately entered the Dental College of the Province of Quebec, and subsequently Philadelphia Dental College. He successfully passed his examinations admitting him to practice, graduating with the degree of L. D. S., in 1894. He then returned to the Province of Quebec, locating in the city of Montreal, where he opened an elegant establishment at 117 St. Denis street. His dental parlors are not surpassed in the city, and his full knowledge, concerning all matters pertaining to dentifrice, assures him a large practice. He takes no part in political affairs. In religion, Mr. Gareau is a member of the Roman Catholic Church.

THEOTIME LANCTOT, Proprietor of the Commercial Restaurant, Montreal, was born July 17th, 1857. His father was Théophile Lanctot, who died in 1882, aged 67 years. Mr. Lanctot came to Montreal, in the year 1871, and started business life as clerk in a grocery store. He began business for himself in 1879, in the east end of the city, where he built up a large and successful trade. May 1st, 1893, he purchased the place known as the "Commercial Restaurant," the most fashionable and popular restaurant in Montreal. Mr. Lanctot is one of the best known and highly respected men in the city. He is one of four who founded the Victuallers' Association, and now occupies the position of vice-president in this society. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, supports the Reform party. He also belongs to the Chambre de Commerce, St. Joseph, St. Pierre, Artizans Canadiens-Français societies, and the C. M. B. A. Mr. Lanctot was married to Miss Eugenie Labelle, daughter of J. B. Labelle, who was organist of Notre-Dame Church for forty-two years. His family consists of two sons and one daughter. Mr. Lanctot employs seventeen hands in his business.

J. B. BUREAU, Proprietor of the Crystal Palace Hotel, Notre Dame street, Montreal, and Secretary of the Hotel Keepers' Mutual and Benefit Association, was born, October 7th, 1853, in Quebec. His parents are J. B. Bureau and Sophie Mathieu, both now living and residing in Quebec. He began life as a printer, which occupation he followed for ten years. About twenty years ago, he married Adèle Lépine, daughter of J. B. Lépine, proprietor of Lépine Park, Montreal. He was secretary, for five years, for this park, when he took charge of Blue Bonnets Park, Montreal, and is now secretary of Royal Park. Mr. Bureau is well known throughout the Dominion and parts of the United States, as taking a keen interest in equine sports. He was the proprietor of Restaurant Bureau, St. Catherine street, and is now the popular proprietor of the Crystal Palace Hotel, which he took charge of, as proprietor, in 1894. Mr. Bureau was assistant secretary, for three years of the Licensed Victuallers' Association of Montreal. He now belongs to St. Joseph, St. Pierre, Artisans Canadiens-Français societies, also is a member of Typographical Union of Montreal. He is a Roman Catholic.

MICHAEL LAVELL, M.D., LL.D., Warden of Kingston Penitentiary, was born, December 2nd, 1825, in Quebec, Que. He received his early education at Bath Academy, on the Bay of Quinte, after which he spent several years of his early life in the Methodist Book Room, Toronto. In 1850, he entered the Toronto School of Medicine. After completing his studies at this institution, he proceeded to Philadelphia, and studied at the Jefferson medical College for one year, at the end of which time he graduated with the degree of M.D. In 1853, he commenced the practice of Medicine at Peterboro, Ont., and in the Spring of 1858, removed to Kingston. In 1860, he was appointed professor of Obstetrics in the Medical Department of Queen's University, Kingston, remaining therein until appointed to his present position. He was appointed surgeon of the General Hospital in 1861, surgeon of the Penitentiary in 1872. From 1866 to 1885 he was a member of the Medical Council of Ontario, and was elected president in 1874. He was also president of the Women's Medical College of Kingston for some years prior to 1885, and in February of that year, was appointed warden of Kingston Penitentiary. In 1863, he received the degree of M.D. from Queen's University, and that of LL.D. from Victoria University in 1892. Dr. Lavell was married, in 1853, to the eldest daughter of the late William Reeve, of Toronto. Mrs. Lavell is a sister of the well-known W. A. Reeve, Q. C., late principal of the Ontario Law School, and of R. A. Reeve, M.D., of Toronto. His family consists of six sons and three daughters, living. In religion, the Doctor is a member of the Methodist Church, and has held every office in the gift of that Church open to laymen, and continuously a member of the General Conference since its formation. He has been a member of the Missionary Board, is now a member of the Methodist Publishing Committee, and was, for many years, a member of the Board of Regents of Victoria University.

WILLIAM STARK, Inspector of Detective Department, Toronto Police Force, was born Jan. 8th, 1851, in Durham County, Ontario. He is a son of the late Capt. William Stark and Helen Purdie, the latter still living (1895). Mr. Stark was educated at the public school of his native township, leaving school at the age of fourteen. At an early age he became active in military matters, and was a non-commissioned officer in No. 7 Company, 45th Battalion, of Bowmanville, at the age of seventeen. February 1st, 1869, he entered the Military School, Toronto, then under the command of the 29th British Regiment, which was commanded by Col. Farrington, and in May of the same year graduated with a first-class certificate. He then accepted a position on the Toronto Police Force. He continued in the ranks as a constable until 1874, when he temporarily retired from the service, and was appointed license inspector for the town of Orillia, Ont. He remained in this capacity for about one year, and then resumed his duties on the Toronto Police Force. In February, 1876, he was promoted to the rank of sergeant, and in February, 1887, to that of inspector, and placed in charge of No. 4 division. Early in the same year there was a reorganization of the detective department, and Mr. Stark was placed at its head. Prior to accepting this office he made a tour through all the large cities in the United States, for the purpose of becoming acquainted with the various detective systems prevailing there. As a result of this trip he introduced a system in Toronto, composed of all the good points in the systems he investigated, and which, in point of efficiency, is second to none on the American continent. In politics, he is a Liberal; in religion, a Presbyterian. He also takes a great interest in athletic exercises; was the means of organizing, in 1883, the Toronto Police Athletic Association, and, in 1895, was elected president of the Canadian Athletic Association. Mr. Stark has been twice married. His family consists of two sons, living.

JOHN SLATTERY, Merchant, Montreal, was born, July 1st, 1840, in County Clare, Ireland. His father was John Slattery, while his mother's maiden name was Dorcas Minihan. Mr. Slattery came to Montreal, with his parents, in 1850. He received his education at the Christian Brothers' School, in that city. After serving as clerk in different establishments, he began business for himself, in which he has been very successful. He is a member of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association. For a number of years, he has taken an active interest in civic affairs, and at the election of 1894, contested St. Ann's Ward for aldermanic honors, but was defeated by a small majority. He believes in an economical administration of public affairs, and is popular in his ward, In politics, he is a Conservative; in religion, a Roman Catholic. Mr. Slattery was married, January 24th, 1872, to Miss Eliza Culhane, daughter of Thomas Culhane, Esq., of Montreal, Que. His family consists of seven children, four sons and three daughters.

HOMER F. MARSHALL, Manager of the Montreal Toilet Supply Co., Montreal, Que., was born, March 31st, 1868, in Pawtucket, R. I. He was educated in the public schools of his native town. He then engaged in the laundry business, in which he has remained in some capacity ever since. In 1890, he removed to Montreal, and travelled among the leading laundries in connection with the laundry machinery and supply business, until May 1st, 1893, when he organized the Montreal Toilet Supply Co., November 1st, 1893, he opened a steam laundry in connection with the toilet business, their speciality being family washing at four and six cents per pound. This department has so increased that they now occupy a large four story building for this branch. September 1st, 1894, the New York Toilet Supply Co., amalgamated with the Montreal firm, now making one of the most extensive establishments of the kind. He was married, in 1887, to Miss Odella Goudreau, of Chateauguay, Que. He has one daughter.

F. H. BARR, Importer and Dealer in Steel Ranges, Stoves, etc., etc., Montreal, Que., was born, January 6th, 1861, at St. John, New Brunswick. His parents were Thomas G. Barr and Jane Condle, both natives of St. John, the latter being of U. E. Loyalist stock. Mr. Barr was educated at the schools of St. John and Montreal. Having removed to Montreal when twelve years of age, he began business with his father at the age of fifteen. In 1881, he started out as commercial traveller, which occupation he followed for thirteen years, during the last eight years representing Gurney, Massey & Co., of Montreal. He thus gained an important knowledge of mercantile affairs. He began business for himself, in May, 1894, in the line above mentioned, and is already working up a good paying trade. Mr. Barr is a member of the Masonic Order and the I. O. O. F. In religion, he is an Episcopalian. He was married to Miss Ida Harding, daughter of Geo. F. Harding, of St. John, New Brunswick. His family consists of two children.

A. BEIQUE, Organist of Notre-Dame Parish Church, Montreal, was born at St. Jean Baptiste, Rouville County, Que. He received his education at Ste. Marie de Monnoir and St. Hyacinthe colleges. Being possessed of great talents in musical lines and having decided to follow this profession, on leaving College, in 1878, he went to Belgium, where he studied two years at the Royal Conservatory of Music of Liège. After visiting Italy, France, and England, Mr. Beïque went to the United States, where he remained five years. In 1886, he removed to St. Hyacinthe, Que, where he was organist of the Cathedral. After a short time he went back to Paris, France, where he studied under the celebrated organist Gigout. He returned to Canada, in 1891, and received the important appointment of organist of Notre-Dame Church, Montreal. Mr. Beïque has had great success in teaching Organ, Piano and Harmony. He is a member of the Toronto College of Organists and of the Quebec Music Academy.

A. LACROIX, Proprietor of Lacroix Hotel, Montreal, and Director of the Montreal Mutual and Benefit Association, was born in St. Lawrence, Quebec, August 24th, 1845. His father's name was X. Lacroix, while his mother's maiden name was Mille O'Brien, both now deceased. Mr. Lacroix was educated in the public schools of the Province of Quebec, receiving a good practical education. He learned the trade of shoemaker, after which he worked at this business for several years in Montreal. He then went to Boston, Mass, where he was employed as clerk with a shoe manufacturing company. He returned to Montreal in 1878, and engaged in the grocery trade, which he followed for seven years. In 1885, he engaged in the hotel business, which he has continued ever since. He is popular and well known by the residents of Montreal and the travelling public who visit that city, and has a good paying patronage. In religion, Mr. Lacroix is a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and in politics, he is a Conservative. He is also a member of the Cosmopolitan Society. He was married on the 1st of May, 1894, to Miss Royal, of the city of Montreal.

EDWARD R. FITZGERALD, Proprietor of Fitz's Restaurant, Montreal, was born, November 3rd, 1858, in that city. His father's name was James Fitzgerald, while his mother's maiden name was Elizabeth Morrissey. Mr. Fitzgerald was educated at St. Ann's Christian Brothers' School, Montreal. After completing his education, he learned the trade of printer in Montreal, and afterwards worked at this business for several years. For ten years, he held an important position in the *Gazette* Printing Office, which he relinquished in 1891. Since that time, he has been proprietor of the above named restaurant, and now has a large patronage. He is a member of the C. M. B. A., C. O. F., A. O. H., and is also secretary of the English Speaking Retail Licensed Victuallers' Benevolent Association, and was one of its charter members. He takes a great interest in the welfare of this organization, and favors the amalgamation of the French and English speaking organizations. Mr. Fitzgerald is a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and was married, in 1875, to Miss Annie Murphy. At the age of 32 years, he was the proud possessor of a seventh son.

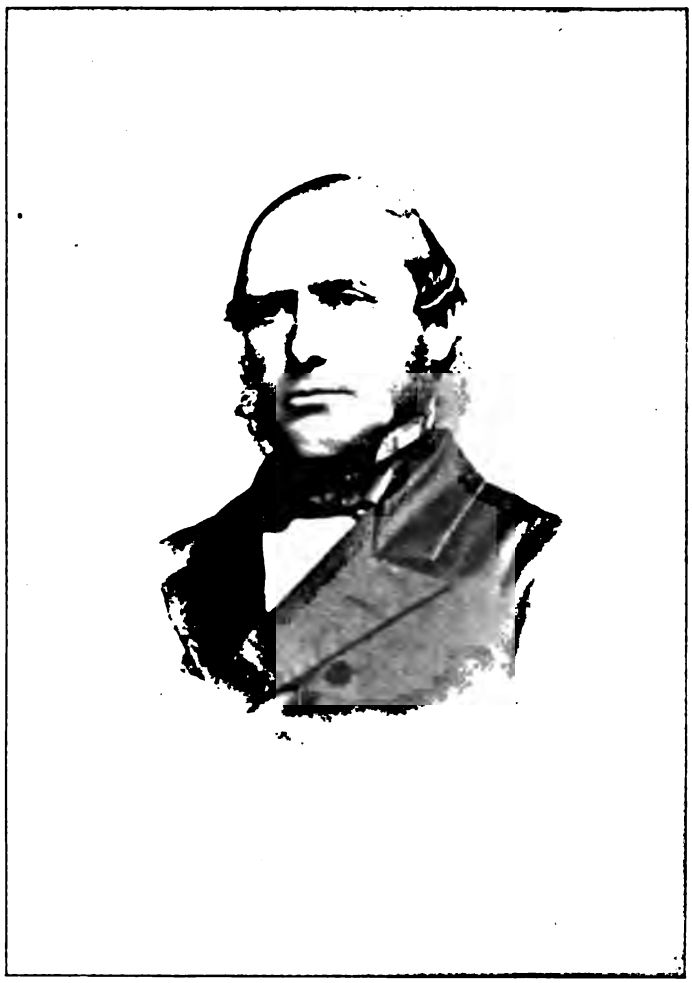
HORACE PEPIN, L.D.S., Montreal, was born, February 2nd, 1861, at St. Jacques-le-Mineur, Que. His parents were Dr. Pierre Pepin and Adeline Gareau. Our subject is in every sense a self-made man, having, by his own industry and perseverance, qualified himself for the study of dentistry, which he commenced, in 1882, with Dr. Bourdon, in Montreal. In 1885, he successfully passed his examinations and graduated with the degree of L.D.S. He at once commenced practice in Montreal. He has been, for five years, the dentist for the Lachine nuns, for ten years dentist for the cloistered nuns of the Bon Pasteur Academy of St. Louis de Gonzague, and dentist of grey nuns (Nazareth House and Mother House) of Guy street. He is a member of the A. O. U. W., the Knights of Pythias, I. O. F. and the Maccabees. In politics, he is an Independent; in religion, a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Sept. 24th, 1887, he married Mrs. Adeline Dunberry, widow of the late Francis Paré, of Lachine.

DIDIER GARNEAU, L.D.S. and D.D.S., Montreal, was born at St. Anne La Pérade, on the 10th September, 1850. His father's name was Dr. J. B. Garneau, of Ste. Anne La Pérade, who was in practice in that place for over fifty years, being the leading physician there. He was also colonel for fifteen years in the militia, and died January, 1894, at the age of 77 years. His mother's maiden name was Nathalie Rinfret, a descendant of an old French family. Dr. D. Garneau received his early education in the schools of his native village. At the age of fourteen years he went to Quebec city, and spent sixteen years in commercial life. During this time he attended evening classes in the English school of T. Thom and the French school of Mr. Arvioux, qualifying himself for the study of any profession. In 1878, he commenced the study of dentistry in Montreal, matriculating at Bishop's College, and continuing his course at Victoria College, where he obtained his diploma necessary to admit him to practice, in 1891.

LÉANDRE BÉLANGER, Notary Public, Montreal, was born at St. François de Sales, Que., March 29th, 1848. His father was Léandre Bélanger, for twenty years mayor of that place, while his mother's maiden name was Marie Nadon. Mr. Bélanger received his education at Terrebonne College, which he attended eight years, completing his classical course in 1866. He at once entered upon the study of the notarial profession with the late G. M. Prevost, completing his course in June, 1871. He then practised in Terrebonne for two years, when he removed to Montreal where he has one of the largest practices in the city. He is a member of the Provincial Board of Notaries, the French Canadian Board of Trade for Montreal, the Society of Social Economy, and of the Catholic Union of the Jesuit Church. In politics, he is an Independent; in religion, a Roman Catholic. Mr. Bélanger has been married twice: in 1870, to Claire Viger, who died in 1876, and to Laura Vian, of Montreal. His family consists of six children.

ZOTIQUE LAROCHE, M.D., Montreal, was born in that city, January 21st, 1846. His father's name was Pierre Laroche, a manufacturer of Montreal, while his mother's maiden name was Léocadie Jetté, a distant relative of Judge Jetté, both being of French descent. Dr. Laroche received his education in Montreal College, and in 1875, he entered Victoria Medical College, graduating, in 1879, with the degree of M.D. He practised one year at St. Paul Abbottsford, and three years in Indian Orchard, a suburb of Springfield, Mass., and since 1883, has practised in Montreal, and has, to-day, one of the largest and most lucrative connections amongst the French population of that city. In religion, the Doctor is a member of the Roman Catholic Church; in politics, an Independent. He is also a member of the Catholic Order of Foresters. September 16th, 1879, Dr. Laroche was married to Adèle Bengle, daughter of Charles Bengle, of St. Paul Abbottsford. His family consists of four sons and two daughters.

WILLIAM HENRY SMITHSON, Accountant Post Office Department, Ottawa, was born at St. John, N.B., February 28th, 1834. He is the son of the Rev. Wm. Smithson and Elizabeth Harrison, both now deceased. The former was for over forty years a Wesleyan Methodist minister in high standing. The *Provincial Wesleyan*, in speaking of him, says: "A very prominent feature in Mr. Smithson's character was his catholicity of spirit. He was stationed at Portland, St. John, at the time of the cholera visitation in 1834, and, by a remarkable coincidence, twenty years after, when the cholera again raged in that vicinity, he occupied the same sphere of labor. Without intermission demands were made upon him, often by entire strangers, but none were refused. When pestilence was walking in darkness and wasting at noonday, causing dismay to strong hearts, and spreading a funereal hue over every habitation, he braved the plague, and tracked the cholera stricken city by day and night, amongst high and low, rich and poor, whenever and wherever duty called him." Our subject was educated at Albion Vale Academy, Annapolis, and Sackville Academy. After completing his studies, he went to St. John, N.B., for the purpose of becoming a chemist and druggist, and afterwards opened a drug store in Fredericton, where he carried on business for several years. He was appointed clerk in the Post Office Department, New Brunswick, in 1860, and accountant in 1867. He was removed to the head office, Ottawa, in 1868, and made assistant accountant of the Dominion of Canada Post Office Department, July 1st, 1873, and accountant, Jan. 31st, 1888, which position he now holds, to the fullest satisfaction of the service and the public. Mr. Smithson is also a Freemason in high standing. He was married, June 1st, 1858, to Louise J., youngest daughter of the late Hon. Chas. Perley, Member of the Legislative Council of New Brunswick. His family consists of one daughter, living.



THE LATE ALLAN GILMOUR, Ottawa, was born August 23rd, 1816, in the Parish of Shotts, Lanarkshire, Scotland. His father was a farmer, and the family consisted of five children, Allan being the only son. The subject of our sketch received a common country school education, taking one year at Glasgow, which concluded his course. In 1832, the first year of the dread cholera period, he was sent from the Old Country to Montreal, where he entered the employ of Wm. Ritchie & Co., who carried on a wholesale dry goods and grocery business, besides supplying parties engaged in the manufacture of square timber on the Ottawa and its tributaries. In 1840, Mr. Ritchie, the head of the firm, retired, and Mr. Gilmour, with his cousin, James Gilmour, assumed the management of the business, changing the name of the firm to Gilmour & Co. An agency was then established at Bytown (Ottawa), the object being to procure timber and sawn lumber from that region for the Quebec market. In 1853, Mr. Gilmour took up a permanent residence at Bytown, and shortly afterwards, the Montreal business was reduced to an agency, and Ottawa became the firm's headquarters. For a long period the lumber trade of Canada was troublesome, fluctuating and unprofitable; but the tide turned at last, and more prosperous times were enjoyed. The firm of Gilmour & Co., under the management of Allan Gilmour, built large saw mills on the Gatineau river, and steam mills at Trenton. They also established, and worked for a number of years, saw mills on the North Nation and Blanch rivers. In his stately residence at the Capital, overlooking the Ottawa river, we find one of the best private collections of pictorial art in Canada. Mr. Gilmour died peacefully at his home on 25th February, 1895, and his loss was mourned by the entire community. Among the friends left behind who were dearest to him in life is Mr. John Manuel, himself a man of sterling character and great generosity of spirit.

REV. F. CHISHOLM, P.P., Glace Bay, C.B., was born May 2nd, 1851, at Black River, Antigonish County, N.S. His father's name was John Chisholm, while his mother was Margaret Chisholm. Father Chisholm was educated at Laval University, Quebec, and St. François Xavier College, Antigonish. He was ordained by Cardinal Taschereau, at Quebec, in 1879. He was first at Pomquet, Antigonish County, N.S., after which he was appointed to his present charge at Glace Bay, where he has remained twelve years (1894). Father Chisholm has erected a large and elegant church, and is building a large convent at the present time. For a man of his years he has made a distinguished record in the work of the church, to which he has devoted his life. His adaptation to the work, and his well-known industry are satisfactory guarantees of even greater success in the future. His marked ability in carrying out the great building projects consummated by him, shows clearly the hold he has on the esteem and co-operation of his people.

REV. JOSEPH LUKE MAYNARD, Presybterian Clergyman, Joliette, Que., was born at Mount Johnson, Iberville County, Que., January 8th, 1869. His parents were Joseph and Rosalie Maynard, the former being a descendant of an old French Huguenot family. Mr. Maynard received his early education at the Pointe-aux-Trembles School, where he took a full course, and, having decided upon taking a theological course, he entered the Presbyterian College, Montreal, where he remained six years, graduating in 1894. During his college life he labored on different mission fields, with pronounced success, and his worth as a Gospel teacher became well known in the districts surrounding his different fields of labor. Immediately upon graduation he received a unanimous call from the Presbyterian congregation at Joliette, where he was ordained and inducted in 1894. A bright future is predicted for him in his present location, and a large field open for the work which he has entered upon with so much energy.

WALLACE HOPPER, head of the well-known Wallace Hopper Theatrical Co., Truro, N.S., was born in Albert County, N.B., December 15th, 1863. His parents, Robert and Elizabeth (Mann) Hopper, were descended from families of U. E. Loyalists. The former is still living (1895), and is one of the most highly respected citizens of Truro, N.S. Mr. Wallace Hopper was educated at the public schools of Truro, where he removed with his parents when seven years of age. At an early age he manifested a keen desire for life on the stage, and entered the theatrical profession at the age of twenty in connection with several prominent dramatic stars of New York. He soon became widely known as a brilliant comedian. After travelling in different parts of the United States for about seven years, with some of the most famous theatrical companies, he organized the Wallace Hopper Theatrical Company to tour Canada and New England. He is best known, however, in the Maritime Provinces and the New England States, where his company is extremely popular. Mr. Hopper is a member of the Knights of Pythias, and in religion is a Baptist.

MCLEOD STEWART, Barrister-at-Law, Ottawa, Ontario, was born there February 6th, 1847. His parents were William and Catherine Stewart, the former an M.P.P. for many years. Mr. Stewart was educated at Ottawa Grammar School and Toronto University. He received his B.A. in 1867, and his M.A. four years later. In addition to his large private practice, Mr. Stewart has been solicitor of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Ottawa, for years, and for other large corporations. He has also taken a great interest in municipal affairs, was elected mayor of Ottawa in 1887 and 1888. He was president of the Canada Atlantic Railway in 1885 and 1886. He was the first to develop anthracite coal in Canada. He is a life director and solicitor of the Protestant Hospital, also a director of the Home for the Aged, of which his wife was one of the first founders. In religion, Mr. Stewart is a Presbyterian; in politics, an active Conservative. He is also a member of St. Andrew's Society, of which he was president for four years. Mr. Stewart was married, December 22nd, 1874, to Linnie Emma, eldest daughter of Col. Walker Powell. His family consists of four children.

CHAS. THIBAULT, Advocate, Waterloo, P.Q., was born, September 16th, 1840, in the parish of St. Alexandre, Iberville County, P. Q. His father descended from one of the oldest, and most highly respected families in the province. He was educated at the Seminary of Ste. Marie de Monnoir, and admitted to the Bar, in 1866. He is considered one of the most eloquent French Canadian speakers in the Dominion, and his reputation as such extends to Europe and the United States. In the Spring of 1893, he visited Europe and the Holy Land, and made many addresses, while on the Mediterranean Sea, at Nazareth, Jerusalem and Alexandria, Egypt, were he won the admiration and esteem of vast audiences, both French and Arab. He is an economist. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic.

REV. JOHN WILLOUGHBY BROWN, B.A., Baptist Minister, Bridgewater, N.S., was born, October 12th, 1857, at West Cornwallis, Kings County, N.S. His parents were Absolom and Elizabeth A. Brown. Mr. Brown was educated at Acadia College, and Newton Theological Seminary, Newton Centre, Mass. He was ordained, November 2nd, 1886, and first stationed at Falmouth, N.S., then Harvey, N.B., Raynham, Mass. and Bridgewater, his present charge. He is also editor of a county religious paper, *The Lunenburg Baptist*, which is greatly appreciated by the Baptists of that section. He is an active temperance worker. Mr. Brown was married, May 5th, 1885, to Miss Edna Adelia Morris, daughter of Lewis Morris, Esq., of Welsford, Kings County, N.S. His family consists of two sons and one daughter.

WM. J. WATTS, B. A., B. C. L., Advocate, Drummondville, Que., was born May 1st, 1846. His father, Robert N. Watts, was a member of the Legislative Assembly, from 1841 to '51. Mr. Watts was educated at Montreal High School and McGill University, graduating from the latter, B.A. with first rank honors, in 1866. He then entered the law department of the same institution, and, in 1869, he graduated B. C. L., and admitted to practice. He then commenced his present practice in Drummondville. He was elected to represent the Counties of Drummond and Arthabaska in the Quebec Parliament, at the by-election of 1874, and re-elected at the General Elections of 1875, '78, '81, and resigned in 1885. He was again elected in 1890 by a large majority, but defeated in 1892 by six votes.

FRANK IRWIN, M.D., Lockeport, N.S., was born, at Shelburne, N.S., March 24th, 1863. His parents are Robert G. Irwin and Isabella M. (Archer) Irwin, the former being Recorder of Deeds for the District of Shelburne, and very highly respected. Dr. Irwin was educated at Shelburne Academy, after which he began his medical studies at Halifax Medical College, where he remained two years, then spent two years at the University of Boston, graduating in June, 1884. He practised for about three and one half years in Winthrop, Mass., then removed to Lockeport, N.S., where he has since remained. In politics, he is a Liberal, and in religion, a Methodist. He married, October 27th, 1891, Miss Nellie M. Johnstone, daughter of the late Wynne Johnstone, of Lockeport, Nova Scotia. Mrs. Irwin died in 1893.

LOUIS LACOUTURE, M.P.P. for Richelieu County, Sorel, Que., was born January 23rd, 1858, at St. Ours, Que. His parents were Théodore and Julienne Lacouture. He received his education at the Christian Brothers' School, Sorel. In 1884, he engaged with the Richelieu Navigation Co., as superintendent of their business at Sorel, and from that time until the present, has continued to enjoy their full confidence. In politics, he is a Conservative, and in 1892, was elected for Richelieu by a large majority, and has held the office with credit to himself and satisfaction to his constituents. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He is also a member of the Catholic Order of Foresters, and has been honored with the highest office in the gift of his court. Mr. Lacouture was married, in 1877, to Célanir Belleau.

ISIDORE PROULX, M.P., North Plantagenet, Ont., was born at St. Hermas, Que. He was educated at the Model School there, and commenced farming at the age of twenty. In 1874, he was a candidate for the Quebec Legislature, but was defeated. In 1881, he sold his interests in Quebec, and removed to Plantagenet, Ont., where he purchased a more extensive property, and made himself so conspicuous, that at the General Elections of 1891, he was chosen as Liberal candidate for the Commons, and elected by a large majority. He distinguished himself in the House during the session of 1891, by an eloquent and able speech made in defence of the principles of the Liberal party, especially in favor of the farming community. Mr. Proulx was married, in 1861, to Miss Philomène Lalonde, of St. Hermas, Que.

HENRY FOREMAN, Collingwood, Ont., a native of that town, was born in 1858, of Scotch parents. He received his education at the public and High schools of Collingwood. In 1877, when nineteen years of age, he joined his father and brother in business, assuming the financial management, which he still retains. In religion, Mr. Foreman is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and has held office continuously for eighteen years; a Conservative in politics, and president of McCarthy Club of Collingwood, also president of Great Northern Exhibition, a member of I. O. F., S. O. S., K. O. T. M. and L. O. L. He has also been deputy reeve, councillor and school trustee, and is a director of several building and loan associations. He was married, in 1888, to Emily Louisa, daughter of John Smart.

JOHN BENNETT, M.P.P., Farmer, Athol, Ont., was born at St. Polycarpe, Que., in 1832. He is the eldest son of the late Hon. Thos. Bennett. Mr. Bennett was educated at the public schools. In 1867, he married Miss Mary McDonnell, of Lancaster, and began farming on his own account. He displayed great adaptation for agricultural matters, and was made president of the Stormont Agricultural Society. He was also high school trustee and reeve of Roxboro' for many years, also warden of the united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry. He joined the P. of I, in 1893, and was elected for the Local Legislature at the General Elections of 1894. Mr. Bennett is a very practical man, and will doubtless prove an able and leading representative of the farming community, in his constituency.

CHEVALIER ANGELO M. F. GIANELLI, Toronto, was born in Genoa, Italy, December 2nd, 1832. He is a graduate of the Collegio Nazionale of that city. He entered the Sardinian army, in 1852, and, in 1854, volunteered for the first contingent to the Crimean War, as ensign, receiving his discharge in March, 1856. In the Fall of the same year he came to Montreal. In 1870, he was appointed consul for Italy for Quebec Province. In 1874, he received a second commission, with a new exequatur, giving him the jurisdiction of the consulate of the district of Bonaventure, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, and, in 1877, received the third Royal commission, giving him jurisdiction over Canada and Newfoundland, with power to establish vice-consulates where necessary. He has been a liberal contributor to the *Bollettino Consolare*, a monthly periodical published in Rome, and has always done all in his power to establish trade relations between Canada and Italy. He founded the firm of Gianelli & Co., shipping agents and commission merchants, who shipped to Italy the first cargo of Canadian sawn pine. In 1875, he was appointed Agent-General and Executive Commissioner for the Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia, where his administration proved a great success. At the close of the exhibition he received the compliments and thanks of Baron Blanc and the Italian Government, and, as a testimonial of the appreciation of his services and administrative ability, was presented by the exhibitors and employees with an elaborate address and souvenir in the shape of a medal. He also received a magnificent medal from the American Administration. In 1885, he removed to Toronto, and finding his time so taken up by commercial pursuits, sent his resignation to the Italian Government, which was accepted with many regrets. On this occasion His Majesty King Humbert, desirous of giving him an attestation of the appreciation of his services, conferred upon him the order of Knight of the Crown of Italy, and named him his honorary consul for life.

WESLEY OCTAVIUS FORSYTH, Pianist and Instructor in Piano Playing at Toronto Conservatory of Music, Miss Veals' School for Young Ladies, Moulton College, and privately at studio, 15 King street east, Toronto, Ont., was born January 26th, 1861, in Markham Township. His parents were William Archibald and Susanna Charlotte (Udelle) Forsyth. Mr. Forsyth studied music from early boyhood. He studied in Toronto for some years, being a pupil of Mr. Edward Fisher. He also visited Europe twice in pursuit of his studies, spending several years in Germany, where he was a pupil of the Leipzig Conservatoire, and a private pupil of the distinguished Leipzig masters, Prof. Martin Krause, Dr. S. Jadassohn, Adolph Ruthardt, and Prof. Epstein, of Vienna. Since his return to this country he has taken the stand his abilities merit, in the front ranks of Canadian musicians. In addition to his many other duties, Mr. Forsyth is musical critic of Canada's high class literary paper, *The Week*, and contributor to various American papers and magazines on musical subjects. He makes a specialty of teaching the piano, and developing students to the highest degree of technical proficiency. He has pupils from various parts of Canada and the United States, and his reputation is a growing one. He is also widely known as a composer and teacher of composition and harmony. To the pupil preparing for a teacher, Mr. Forsyth exercises the most painstaking and exacting care in developing the understanding and appreciation of technical details, and in acquiring a thorough knowledge of the works studied, through the analysis of their structure, etc., and also the best methods of imparting instruction. In religion, he is a Methodist. Mr. Forsyth was married January 15th, 1890, to Miss Sara Stewart McGee, daughter of the late James McGee, for many years manager and treasurer of the Toronto Industrial Exhibition, and President Union Loan & Savings Co. His family consists of one daughter.

ANDREW GRIER, P.S.I., Notary Public, Conveyancer, Insurance and Land Agent, and Mayor of Thornbury, was born at Kilmacranan County, Donegal, Ireland, November 25th, 1825. His father was Jas. Grier, while his mother was Mary (Williams) Grier. Mr. Grier began his education in his native country, and after emigrating to America, spent two years at Dr. Crawford's Academy, in Philadelphia, after which he came to Canada. In 1852, he was appointed superintendent, and afterwards inspector of the public schools in the eastern district of Grey County, which position he still holds. He has been a member of the Orange Society for a great many years, and has also been clerk of the township of Collingwood since 1890. He has also taken an interest in military matters, and has been captain of militia. In politics, he is a Conservative. In early life, he joined the Presbyterian Church, and has been an elder in that church since the age of eighteen. Mr. Grier married, in 1850, Elizabeth, daughter of Jas. Hogg, a native of Ireland.

JOHN DAVID MACDONALD, Editor and Proprietor of the *Advocate*, Pictou, N.S., was born March 3rd, 1873. He is the fourth son of the late John D. MacDonald, County Treasurer of Pictou, and Mary B. McLaren, daughter of the late Wm. McLaren, Esq., of Pictou. Mr. MacDonald was educated at Pictou Academy. He was apprenticed to the printing business in 1887. In 1891 he opened a job printing office in Pictou, and, in 1893, founded the *Advocate*, which he still conducts as the organ of the Liberal party in West Pictou. This paper has become well and favorably known throughout the province. Mr. MacDonald's family, in preceding generations, took a great interest in public affairs, one of his uncles, the late A. C. MacDonald, having represented the County of Pictou in the House of Assembly, and another, E. M. MacDonald, having represented Lunenburg County in the Dominion Parliament from 1867 to 1872. In religion, Mr. MacDonald is a Presbyterian. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F.

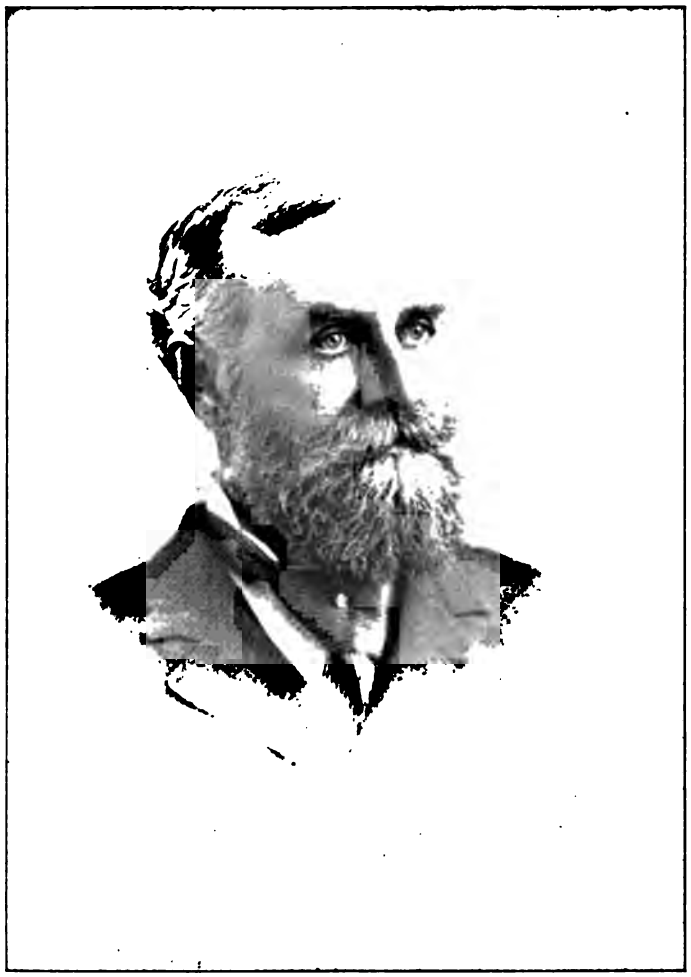
CHARLES EDWARD RASCONI, M.D., Montreal, Que., was born at St. Thomas Pierreville. His father was Joseph Rasconi, a prominent merchant and millionaire of that place, while his mother's maiden name was Léocadie Morin, a descendant of an old French family. Dr. Rasconi received his early education at Nicolet College. He afterwards entered Laval University for his medical course, in 1883, graduating from that institution in 1887. The same year he commenced practice at Fort Cannington, New York State, where he remained one year and a half, being in charge of the practice of Dr. Gillies while he was travelling on the European continent. In May, 1889, he located in Montreal, where he has since remained, having built up a large and lucrative practice, having the reputation of being a skilful practitioner. In politics, he is a Liberal, being an active worker in the interests of his party. In religion, Dr. Rasconi is a Roman Catholic. He is also a member of the A.O.U.W., and physician of Clarence Lodge, Montreal, of the I.O.F., and physician to Notre Dame Court; also of the C.O.F., and physician for Angelus Court.

FÉLIX LIBERCENT, Wholesale and Retail Merchant, St. Lawrence Market, Montreal, Que., was born, July 12th, 1856, at Ste. Geneviève, Province of Quebec. His father's name is Charles Libercent, who is still living and enjoying the best of health, (1895). Mr. Libercent received his education at the schools of his birth place, where he obtained a good practical training. In 1876, he went to Montreal, and four years later was in a position to embark in his present business. He now has an extensive trade, having built it up from a small beginning to one of large dimensions. His business is both wholesale and retail and he has become known as one of most successful dealers in his line in the city and district of Montreal. In politics, Mr. Libercent is an active and influential supporter of the Liberal party. He believes in retrenchment and reform, as well as free trade, as it is presented by the liberal platform. He also takes an active interest in civic affairs. In religion, Mr. Libercent is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. He was married to Miss Dupois, daughter of Jean Dupois, Esq. He has a family of seven children, three sons and four daughters.

JAMES KYRON DORSEY, M.D., Physician and Surgeon, Charlottetown, P.E.I., was born in Charlottetown, September 6th, 1870. His father is James Dorsey, of Charlottetown, while his mother's name is Annie Murphy Dorsey. Dr. Dorsey received his early education at the public school of Charlottetown, and by private tuition. He took his medical course at the University of the City of New York, where he graduated in 1891. At first he was appointed by the city of New York as ambulance surgeon and interne to Bellevue Hospital, New York city, which position he held for one year. He is an M.D., with honors from the University of New York City, his standing being fifth in a class of 162. Upon competitive examination he was appointed physician to the New York Hospital, where he remained a short time, when he resigned and removed to Charlottetown, in the Spring of 1893, where he has since practiced his profession. He also belongs to the P. E. I. Medical Association, and holds the office of treasurer in connection therewith.

L'ABBÉ HOSPICE VERREAU, D.L., Principal of the Jacques Cartier Normal School, Montreal, was born at l'Islet, Que., Sept. 6th, 1828. He was educated at the Quebec Seminary, taking a full classical and part theological course. He then taught in this institution for two years, after which he was principal of Ste. Thérèse College for eight years. In 1856, he removed to Montreal, and the following year took his present position. In 1873, he was appointed by the Provincial Government to proceed to Europe, to make investigations regarding Canadian history, and while on this mission, visited London, Paris, Rome and other cities. Principal Verreau is a corresponding member of the Société des Antiquaires de Normandie, and an officer of Public Instruction, France. He was ordained priest in 1851, by the late Bishop Prince. He has written several articles on Canadian history for the *Journal of Public Instruction*. He became a member of the Royal Society of Canada, in 1883, by appointment of the Marquis of Lorne.

WALTER H. ROBINSON, Tenor Soloist, etc., Toronto, Ont., was born at Hamilton, Ont., May 12th, 1867. His father, Geo. R. Robinson, was band master of the 13th Battalion, Hamilton, while his mother's maiden name was Catherine Pryke. Mr. Robinson received his general education in Hamilton, and his early musical training under his father. His vocal training was made under such well-known instructors as W. Elliott Haslam, New York; R. Thos. Steele, Hamilton, and Alberto Randegger, of London, Eng. He was a soloist at the age of ten years, also a member of his father's band. When twelve years of age, he sang before the Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise, at Hamilton. With the exception of two years spent as ledger keeper in a bank, he has devoted his time to his profession. In 1891, he was chosen as conductor of a chorus of 500 voices at the 11th Peninsular Sængerfest, held at Hamilton, and also conducted the same chorus the following year. He was for a number of years choir master of the First Methodist Church, Hamilton, and after removing to Toronto, received the appointment of choir master in the Church of the Redeemer. He was for two years music master in Upper Canada College, and now of Wycliffe College. In 1893, he was appointed conductor of the Toronto University Glee Club, with which organization he has given concerts in all the leading cities of the Dominion. He was also conductor of the Galt Philharmonic Society for two and one-half years, during which time this society performed several standard oratorios, cantatas and part songs. He is an undergraduate in music of Trinity University, Toronto, and purposes, in 1896, taking his degree of Mus. Bac. In 1894, he spent the summer months in London, Eng., and Germany, studying voice culture, and purposes soon taking another course there. He has for some time been a leading tenor in Toronto, having successfully sung in oratorio and concert. In religion, he is an Anglican; in politics, a Conservative.



EDWARD WILKES RATHBUN, President and General Manager of the Rathbun Company, was born October 5th, 1842, at Auburn, N.Y. He is the eldest son of the late Hugo B. Rathbun, founder of Deseronto, and Louisa Storm, a descendant of one of the old Knickerbocker families of New York city. In 1848, his father inaugurated the lumbering operations at the point now known as Deseronto, and brought his family there in 1855. Our subject attended a high school in New York until 1857, when he entered the house of Storm, Smith & Co., East India merchants of that city, with whom he remained until 1861, when his father, owing to failing health, required his assistance. He then removed to Canada, and took charge of the business under the firm name of H. B. Rathbun & Son, which, in 1883, was incorporated by special Act of Parliament, under the style of "The Rathbun Company." On the incorporation of Deseronto as a town, in 1889, Mr. Rathbun was elected mayor, and has since held that office. Under his management the company have been pioneers in many industrial enterprises, such as the roller process flour mill in Canada, extensive wood distilling and charcoal works, a large porous terra cotta fire proofing establishment, and works for the manufacture of portland cement. These, and other industries dealing with the manipulation of forest products, have been made accessible to much of the raw material by a system of railways, embracing about a hundred miles trackage, known as the Bay of Quinte Railway, of which he is president. Mr. Rathbun is independent in politics, takes a warm interest in agricultural matters, is an elder in the Presbyterian Church, and in all his duties has allied to him associates and co-workers who have grown up with him in the business. Mr. Rathbun was married, in 1863, to Miss Elizabella Burt, of Auburn, N.Y., and, in 1873, to Miss Bunella McMurrich, daughter of the Hon. John McMurrich, Toronto, Ont. His family consists of seven children.

REV. ROBERT McNAIR, Pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Carleton Place, Ont., was born in Richmond Hill, York Co., Ont., April 4th, 1858. His father's name was James McNair, while his mother's maiden name was Margaret Scott. They were both natives of Scotland. Mr. McNair received his early education at the Goderich High School. He was admitted as a student of the Presbyterian Church, in 1879, and subsequently studied in Toronto University and Knox College, graduating from the latter, in April, 1885. He accepted a call from the Presbyterian Church, Durham, Ont., and was ordained Jan. 12th, 1886. After remaining at Durham for nearly six years, he was called to his present charge at Carleton Place. He possesses fine pulpit ability, and is greatly sought after as a platform speaker. He is also a member of the A.F. & A.M., I.O.F. and A.O.U.W., holding high offices in connection with these societies. He was married, June 16th, 1887, to Miss Annie, daughter of Robert Cruikshank, of St. John, N.B.

ZENON DELORME, Butcher, and Assistant Secretary of the Montreal Butchers' Association, was born April 6th, 1874, in Montreal. His father is Louis Delorme, while his mother's maiden name was Abbina Prevost. The former is a large exporter of cattle to foreign parts, and one of the oldest and best known dealers in the city. Mr. Delorme was educated at St. Lawrence School, after which he spent three years in a commercial school, and subsequently three years in St. Lawrence College, receiving at these different institutions a good practical education. Since starting business in St. Lawrence Market Mr. Delorme has built up a good, paying trade, and deserves credit for the success he has had so early in life. In politics, he favors the Liberal party, and in religion, is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Mr. Delorme is one of the most active members of the Butchers' Association, and is a member on the committee of management for the banquet to be given during the present year.

THE LATE ALONZO WRIGHT, M.P., was born at Hull, Que., February 26th, 1825. He was a son of the late Lieut.-Col. Tiberius Wright, and grand-son of the late Philemon Wright, of Massachusetts, who after a tiresome march arrived opposite the Falls of the Chaudière and there founded the City of Hull. Our subject received his education at home, and at Potsdam Academy, New York. At an early age, he manifested marvellous business capabilities and the talents of his ancestors. He engaged in lumbering enterprises and in agriculture, and soon rose to such prominence as to command the attention and admiration of the country. In politics, he was a staunch Conservative, although never acting the part of a narrow party man, but impressed all with whom he came in contact, with his broad and generous sentiments, and warm and manly disposition. He was regarded as one of the ablest members of the House of Commons, and when he spoke, it was to charm the House with the warmth of his eloquence. He was married, in 1850, to Mary, daughter of the late Nicholas Sparks, who survives him. He died, 7th January, 1894, very deeply regretted.

ARTHUR JONES, Proprietor of the Grand Trunk Hotel, Point St. Charles, Montreal, Que., and president of the English speaking Victuallers' Association of Montreal, was born in the County of Kildare, Ireland, in 1843. He came to Canada with his parents in 1852, and located in Montreal, P.Q. After being engaged in various lines for some years, during which time he had gained sufficient experience and accumulated enough money to start business on his own account, in 1888, he purchased the Grand Trunk Hotel, and is now its genial and popular proprietor, having by his foresight and peculiar aptitudes made this hotel one of the foremost in the district. He holds an honorable position with the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of Canada; for eleven years was president of the Irish Benevolent Society, and upon his retirement was presented with an address and a life size painting of himself. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative, and takes an active part in the affairs of his party. Mr. Jones was married, June 11th, 1861, to Miss Elizabeth Barney, of Montreal. His family consists of six sons and two daughters, now living.

EPHREM NAPOLÉON HURTUBISE, Warden of the Counties of Prescott and Russell, and Reeve of the Township of Cambridge, Ont., Hurtubise, Ont., was born, January 29th, 1865, in Chambly County, Que. He completed a classical course at Ste. Marie College, Montreal, after which he entered his brother's establishment in Montreal, and four years later, the two brothers formed a partnership, carrying on an extensive business in lumber, in Russell County, where they have built large mills and other buildings, which now comprise the village of Hurtubise. They also run a steamer from that point to Plantagenet. In politics, he is a Conservative, and will be a candidate for the Commons at the elections of the present year (1894). He was married to Miss Mary Philomène Canali, of Montreal, and has two sons.

GEO. CUNNINGHAM WRIGHT, B.A., B.C.L., Advocate, Hull, Que., was born in that place, in 1861. He is descended through three generations from Philermon Wright, who founded Hull, in 1800. Mr. Wright was educated at the public schools of Hull, and continued his studies at the Model School and collegiate there, afterwards entering McGill University, Montreal, where he graduated B.A., in 1884. He then studied law in the same institution, and in the office of Church, Chapleau, Hall & Nicholls. He received his B.C.L. in 1886. He began to practise in Hull, in 1890, as member of the firm of Rodion, Champagne & Wright, and in 1893, opened an office on his own account. In religion, he is an Episcopalian; in politics, a Conservative. He is also a prominent member of the Masonic Order.

ALBERTO DINI, Importer of Italian and French Goods, Ste. Catherine street, Montreal, was born April 21st, 1850, in Cune, Italy. His parents are Clements and Maria Dini. Mr. Dini was educated at the schools of his birth place. Coming to Canada, he located in the city of Montreal, where he was engaged in the statuary business until 1892, when he went into his present business as above mentioned. He also keeps an exchange office and an employment bureau. Mr. Dini is a member of St. Vimengo di Paola, also president of Munto Soccorso. In politics, he is an Independent; in religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and treasurer of the church to which he belongs, in Montreal. Mr. Dini was married, in 1877, to Miaa Maloine La Rose, of Montreal. His family consists of four sons and two daughters.

PIERRE LEGAULT, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born, June 29th, 1852, at Ste. Geneviève, Province of Quebec. His father's name is J. Legault, while his mother is Braselle Legault. The former is a prominent agriculturist, and is widely known throughout the County of Jacques-Cartier. Mr. Legault was educated in the public schools of the Province of Quebec. He began business life as a clerk, and by perseverance and industry, gradually worked himself up, until now he has an excellent business of his own. He is a member of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, also of the C.M.B.A. and St. Joseph societies. In religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Mr. Legault was married, on the 15th of June 1874, to Miss N. Lerous. His family consists of six children, living.

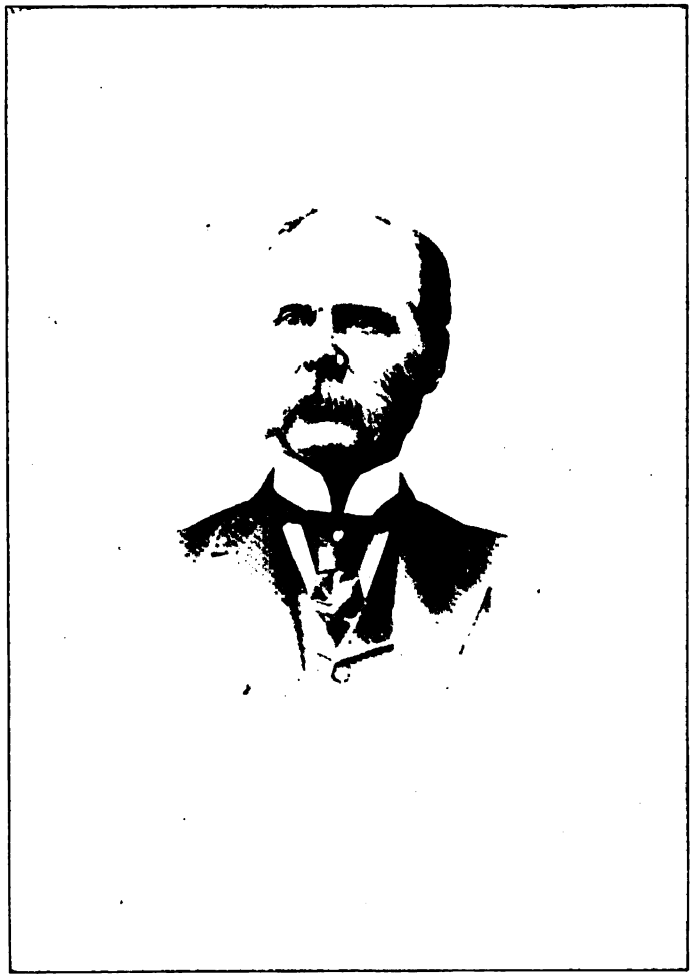
REV. JOHN KER MACMORINE, M.A., Rector of St. James' Church, Kingston, Ont., was born, August 28th, 1842, at Melbourne, Que. He received his education from private tutors, and at Queen's University, Kingston, graduating M. A. at the age of twenty. He was called to the Presbyterian ministry, in July, 1864. His first pastoral charge was Douglas. In 1867, he left the Presbyterian Church, and joined the Church of England. After entering the Anglican Church, he was two years missionary in the County of Lanark, then eight years incumbent of Almonte and also served a similar period in Algoma Diocese. In 1885, he was appointed to his present charge. Mr. MacMorine is celebrated for his scholarly and thoughtful sermons. Dec. 10, 1868, he married Edith, daughter of W. B. Meyer, Esq., Quebec, Q.

J. H. LANGLOIS, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born, October 14th, 1865, in Ste. Scholastique, Que. His parents were Joseph Langlois and Olympe Clément. Mr. Langlois was educated in the schools of Ste. Scholastique and St. Laurent College. He then clerked for nine years, after which he was partnership with his father for a year and a half. For several years, he was also connected with the G. T. R. & C. P. R., and was telegraph operator for the G. N. W. Telegraph Co. In 1893, he began business on his own account in Montreal, where he has an extensive trade. He is a member of the Montreal Retail Grocers' Association, also of the A.O. U.W., I.O.F. and C.O.F. In politics, he is a Liberal; in religion, a Roman Catholic. Mr. Langlois was married, May 19th, 1892, to Alexandra Bouthillier, of Montreal.

GORDON MELVILLE, Montreal, was born in Sutherlandshire, Scotland, November 17th, 1837. When eighteen years of age, he joined the Allan service, remaining in their employ for thirty-one years. Then, in 1887, he located in Montreal, subsequently engaging in his present business, as proprietor of the Melville Restaurant, and has since become well known in that city and vicinity. He is a member and treasurer of the English Speaking Victuallers' Association, and also belongs to the Masonic Fraternity. In politics, he is a Liberal; in religion, he is a member of the Free Church of Scotland. Mr. Melville was married, in 1861, to Miss Rhoda Fowler. His family consists of two children. One son is associated with him in business, while his daughter, Mrs. John Johnson, resides in Liverpool, Eng.

REV. NAZAIRE PICHÉ, P. P., Lachine, Que., was born at St. Sulpice, Que., July 27th, 1831. He was educated at L'Assomption College. He then spent three years as teacher in that institution. In February, 1854, he was ordained priest in Montreal, and afterwards spent eight months as assistant missionary, with Father Marcoux, at Caughnawaga. He was then parish priest of St. John Dorchester for eleven months, and at St. Alphonse for five years. In 1860, he located at Lachine. In 1868, he spent eleven months travelling in Europe, Africa and Asia, spending three months at Rome and six weeks at Jerusalem. He has been, for twelve years, superior of the Sisters of Ste. Anne in his parish, and, in 1894, visited all its missions in B. C., and also in San Francisco, Cal. In 1893, he was made honorary canon.

FARRIS HARDING BLIGH, M.A., Q.C., Librarian of the Supreme Court of Canada, was born, April 14th, 1842, in Cornwallis, Nova Scotia. He was educated at Acadia University, Wolfville; graduating from this institution, B. A., in 1864, and three years later, M.A. He was for many years, a senator of this university, but resigned the position after removing from the province. He studied law with Robert L. (now Mr. Justice) Weatherbe, and was admitted to the Bar of Nova Scotia, in 1868. He practised law in Halifax for one year, alone, and was then with the Hon. James (now chief Justice) Macdonald, under the name of Macdonald & Bligh. He subsequently practised with Wm. A. Johnstone, Q. C., as Johnstone & Bligh, and with Jas. W. (now Attorney-General) Longley, as Bligh & Longley. In 1878, he was appointed official assignee for Halifax County, which office he held until 1880. In 1881, he commenced to practise in Antigonish County, where he soon had a wide connection. In 1884, he was created a Q.C. In 1885, he was appointed revising officer for Antigonish County, holding this position until 1892. In 1886, he was employed under the direction of the Government to perform different kinds of official work, the most important of which may be found in the "Consolidated Orders in Council of Canada," which he completed in 1889. In 1890, in company with Mr. Todd, of the House of Commons' staff, he prepared the Dominion Law Index. In March 1892, he was appointed to the civil service of Canada, and made librarian of the Supreme Court at Ottawa. He is now employing his leisure in such literary work as bears intimate relation to his profession. He has just completed an index of the Ontario Statutes, and has in view similar works to cover the other provinces of Canada. He is a member of the Senate of McMaster University, and an M.A. of that institution. In religion, Mr. Bligh is a member of the Baptist Church. In 1872, he married Alice Theresa, daughter of the late Blowers Smith, of Halifax.



J. CASTELL HOPKINS, Toronto, was born April 1st, 1864, at Dyersville, Iowa, U. S. A. His father, John Castell Hopkins, an Englishman, came to Canada in 1870. Mr. Hopkins was educated at Bowmanville, Ont. In 1882, he entered the service of the Imperial Bank of Canada. He resigned the position of accountant at the Galt branch, in 1890, to become associate editor of the Toronto *Empire*. He was one of the founders of the Imperial Federation League in Canada, and, since 1886, has advocated closer British unity. He organized the Ingersoll branch, in 1886, and was for some time hon. secretary of the league in Canada. He afterwards became a member of the council of the league in England, of the council of the United Empire Trade League in London, and a fellow of the Royal Colonial Institute. His published articles upon this subject are numerous. Amongst the pamphlets issued under his name, some of which were published by the league, are "Links of Union between Canada and Australia," "The Position of Canada," "British Connection," "Imperial Federation," "The Intercolonial Conference," "The American Situation," etc. He has also been a contributor to many leading magazines, notably: *The Forum*, *American Journal of Politics*, *The Chautauquan*, *The Engineering Magazine*, *The Westminster Review*, *The United Service Review*, *The Asiatic Quarterly*, and the principal Canadian publications. He is the author of an elaborate "History of Toronto," and of "The Life and Work of Sir John Thompson" (1895), to which His Excellency the Earl of Aberdeen contributed a preface. Mr. Hopkins has been president of the Toronto Young Men's Conservative Association, and of a similar organization for Ontario; was hon. secretary of the Sir John Macdonald Memorial Committee; has been a member of the Toronto Collegiate Institute Board, and officially connected with numerous other important organizations, all of which have been imbued with his strong personality.

GEORGE S. BROWN, Proprietor of Windsor Market, Montreal, was born March 1st, 1855, in that city. He was educated at the High School, Montreal. His father established the business which he now conducts, in 1839, and to-day it is without doubt the finest market in Canada. A ground floor and basement, 22 feet by 120, are occupied, fitted up with all modern improvements, including electric lights, large ornamental plate glass mirrors, etc., etc., the interior being finished in cherry, while the refrigerating capacity is very extensive. Twenty-two assistants are employed, and seven waggons are in constant service. He supplies the leading hotels of Montreal, also those of New York city, and is purveyor to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada. He has two large smoke houses in Montreal, and conducts large creameries at Hillhurst, Que. He is also a member of the Board of Trade, Montreal. In religion, Mr. Brown is a Presbyterian. He was married, in 1884, to Miss Hoffmann, of New York.

ROBERT BOUTHILLIER, Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born, June 5th, 1864, in Montreal. His father's name is Michael Bouthillier, while his mother's maiden name was Eunice Ledoux, both of French descent and well known-residents of that city. Mr. Bouthillier was educated at the Archambault School in Montreal, where he received a practical training. He began business life as a clerk, which avocation he followed for three years. He was then engaged with the firm of J. and G. Esplin, box manufacturers, Montreal, with whom he remained eight years as shipper. During this time he succeeded in accumulating sufficient capital to start business on his own account, which he did in 1887. He has since worked up a desirable connection and does a good paying business. In religion, Mr. Bouthillier is a Roman Catholic. He is also a member of St. Vincent Society of Montreal. He married, June 15th, 1885, Miss Malvinne, daughter of John Baptist Madore. His family consists of three sons, living, and three children, deceased.

THE LATE ROBERT POLLOCK, Contractor, Toronto, was born in January, 1824, in Irvine, the West of Scotland. His father, Robert Pollock, came to America, with his family, in 1843, locating for a brief period in New York, and then settling in Toronto. The subject of this sketch, received a thorough education at the Academy in his native town, in Scotland. On his arrival in Toronto, he learnt the building profession, and in 1845, launched into business on his own account as builder and contractor. Nature having endowed him with a genial temperament and good business ability, it was not long before he succeeded in attracting public attention, and establishing an important and extensive trade. In 1847, he built the Court House and Jail at Niagara, Ont., and in that year also, the Commercial Bank Building, in Toronto, subsequently erecting a large number of other public buildings and private residences. In religion, Mr. Pollock was a Presbyterian, and in politics, a staunch Liberal, being a warm friend of the late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie. In 1848, he married Miss Cochrane, a native of Perth, Scotland. Mr. Pollock died in 1890.

JOHN F. MATHISON, Manager of the Colonial Montreal Life Association, was born in the County of Simcoe, Ont., August 17th, 1850. His father was Capt. Neil Mathison, of Ross-shire, Scotland, while his mother's maiden name was Annie Dunn. Mr. Mathison was educated in the public schools of Simcoe, Ont., and the high schools of Barrie and Collingwood, Ont. After being engaged in different lines of business, he went to Toronto, Ont., where he carried on a real estate business. He afterwards was engaged in the same line at Winnipeg, Man. He then became manager of the Farmers' North-West Land and Colonization Co., but subsequently went into the insurance business, in which he has since remained in some capacity. He was superintendent for the Manufacturers' Life Co., of Toronto, for a time, and was also instrumental in organizing the Mutual Life Insurance Co., incorporated by special act of the Dominion Parliament, in 1894. He is an able and successful representative of the company of which he is now manager. Mr. Mathison was married to Miss Elizabeth Mayben Dudgeon, daughter of Adam Dudgeon, Esq., late mayor of Collingwood, Ont.

CHARLES BLANCHARD, of the firm of Laforce & Blanchard, Wholesale Merchants, Montreal, Que., was born, September 1st, 1866, in that city. His father's name was Eusèbe Blanchard, manufacturer, while his mother's maiden name was Nastute Picard, a descendant of an old French family. Mr. Blanchard received his education at St. Mary's College, Montreal, which he attended for five years. After completing his studies, in 1877, he entered upon his present business with Michael Laforce, one of the best-known men in his line in Montreal, and with whom he has since continued, having had full management of the business. The firm of Laforce & Blanchard is now favorably known throughout the city. Mr. Blanchard is a member of the C.M.B.A., C.O.F. and the Artizans. In politics, he is a supporter of the Conservative party; in religion, a member of the Roman Catholic Church. He was married, February 23rd, 1888, to Vitaline Laforce, daughter of Michael Laforce, of Montreal. His family consists of one son and one daughter.

E. M. MATTHEWS, Manager of the Queen's Hotel, Montreal, Que., was born in 1859, July 3rd, at Greenlaw, Scotland. Early in life he emigrated to Canada, locating in Montreal. He received his education in Scotland and Montreal. He then entered the employ of the Windsor Hotel, as clerk, and after remaining there six years, was manager of the Vancouver Hotel, Vancouver, B.C., for about a year and a half, when he assumed control of the Queen's, Halifax, for one year. He then took a proprietary interest and the chief management of the Arlington, Toronto, for three years. Since 1892 he has been manager of the Queen's, Montreal. Mr. Matthews is an honorary member of the New York Hotel Association, a member of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club, St. George Snowshoe Club, of Montreal, Atheneum Club, of Toronto, an ex-member of Third Royal Victoria Rifles, and is now a member of their Reserve Association. Mr. Matthews was married, in 1888, to Miss E. B. Guy, of Montreal.

THE LATE ALEXANDER M. SMITH, of Toronto, was born in Money Musk, Aberdeenshire, Scotland, in 1818. After receiving his education in the schools of that country, he was attracted to the army, and spent four years of his early life in the 43rd Highlanders. Mr. Smith came to Canada in 1837 with this regiment. After the troubles of '37 and '38 were over he decided to settle in Toronto. Here he became a salesman for a grocer, with whom he remained until he went into business for himself, in 1842, when he became senior member of the wholesale firm of Smith & Keighley, one of the best-known firms in Toronto. Since then his history as one of Toronto's leading commercial men is well known; he was always in the front rank in any public enterprise or improvement, and has been largely identified with the history of the city of his adoption. He was at one time president of the St. Andrew's Society, and of the Toronto Board of Trade. At the time of his death he was president of the Western Assurance Company, and of the Canada Lake Superior Transit Co., a member of the Board of the Canada Permanent Building Society, vice-president of the Ontario Bank, a director of the Bank of B.N.A., and connected with many other institutions. He was also identified with the civic, military, parliamentary and mercantile interests of the city for over forty years. For some years during the fifties he was a member of the City Council, and from 1863 to 1867 he represented East Toronto in the Parliament of the United Canadas. In 1858, Mr. Smith raised the Highland company of volunteers, and was in command of the same until it became a part of the Queen's Own Rifles, of which corps Mr. Smith was also at one time major. He also held, for a period, the colonelcy of the First Provincial Regiment, which was called into active service during the excitement incident to the Fenian raids. In politics, he was a Liberal; in religion, a member of the Presbyterian Church. He leaves a widow, but no family.

JOHN MALCOLM McDOUGALL, B.C.L., Q.C., senior partner of the law firm of McDougall & DeMartigny, attorneys-at-law, Hull, Que., is a son of the late Hon. William McDougall, Judge of the Superior Court, and well known throughout the Dominion as a man of sound judgment and rare ability. Mr. McDougall was born at Three Rivers, Que., in 1858. He was educated at St. Joseph's Seminary, Three Rivers, and, in 1873, entered McGill University to pursue a partial arts course, in connection with which he followed a law course in the law faculty of the same university, and also studied law in the office of the late Hon. Sir J. J. C. Abbott. He graduated B. C.L. from McGill, and was admitted to the Bar in January, 1879. He commenced to practise at Three Rivers, in partnership with his father, and on the appointment of the latter to the Bench, he located in Aylmer, then the seat of the Superior Court for the district, which was, in 1892, changed to Hull. In this year Mr. McDougall located in Hull, where he has lived since, and has established a wide reputation for legal learning and ability. Was made a Q.C. by the Government in 1893. Since the commencement of his professional career, in Ottawa district, he has been engaged in all the important criminal trials, and has also a large civil practice. In politics, he is a Conservative, and was a candidate for the House of Commons at the General Elections of 1891, but was defeated by Chas. R. Devlin. As a powerful and incisive speaker he has few equals, and as such has won celebrity throughout the Dominion. He is master of both the English and French languages, and is regarded as one of the foremost orators in the Conservative party in the province, having done good work for them. Mr. McDougall was married, in 1881, to Miss Corinne, daughter of the late Hon. J. E. Turcotte, who was Speaker of the Canadian Legislature prior to Confederation. Mrs. McDougall died in 1887, leaving four children, of whom only one son survives.

THOMAS RITCHIE, Trader and Agriculturist, Mayor of the town of Aylmer, Que., was born in 1855, in that place. He is the third son of the late Robert Ritchie, J.P., and Mary McCollough, natives of the North of Ireland, who came to this country when very young, and were married in 1841. Mr. Ritchie was educated at the High School, Aylmer, and, at the age of sixteen, began a business career as cattle dealer. He is junior partner of the firm of R. & T. Ritchie, who are proprietors of one of the largest and best equipped stock farms in the county, on which he now resides. Having taken an active interest in municipal affairs, he was elected alderman in 1891, and the following year made mayor. He has held this position for three successive years, which shows the high esteem in which he is held by his fellow-citizens. In 1892 he was appointed a J. P. by the Lieut.-Governor. Mr. Ritchie is a member of the Church of England, and in politics, a Conservative. He was married in June, 1894, to Miss Emma McLean, Aylmer, Que.

EDWARD FISHER, Director of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, was born in Jamaica, Vt., January 11th, 1848. He comes of a family decidedly musical, and at an early age manifested a love for music. In 1867, he went to Boston, under most eminent music masters, and was organist, at different times, of several large churches. In 1874, he went to Germany, where he studied the organ and theory with Haupt, and piano with Loeschorn, after which he visited the principal European musical centres. Returning to Canada, he was appointed musical director of the Ottawa Ladies' College, and subsequently conductor of the Ottawa Choral Society. In 1879, he accepted his present position as organist of St. Andrew's Church, Toronto. He was afterwards appointed conductor of the Toronto Choral Society, musical director of the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, and was elected president of the Canadian Society of Musicians. In 1886, on the organization of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, Mr. Fisher was appointed musical director.

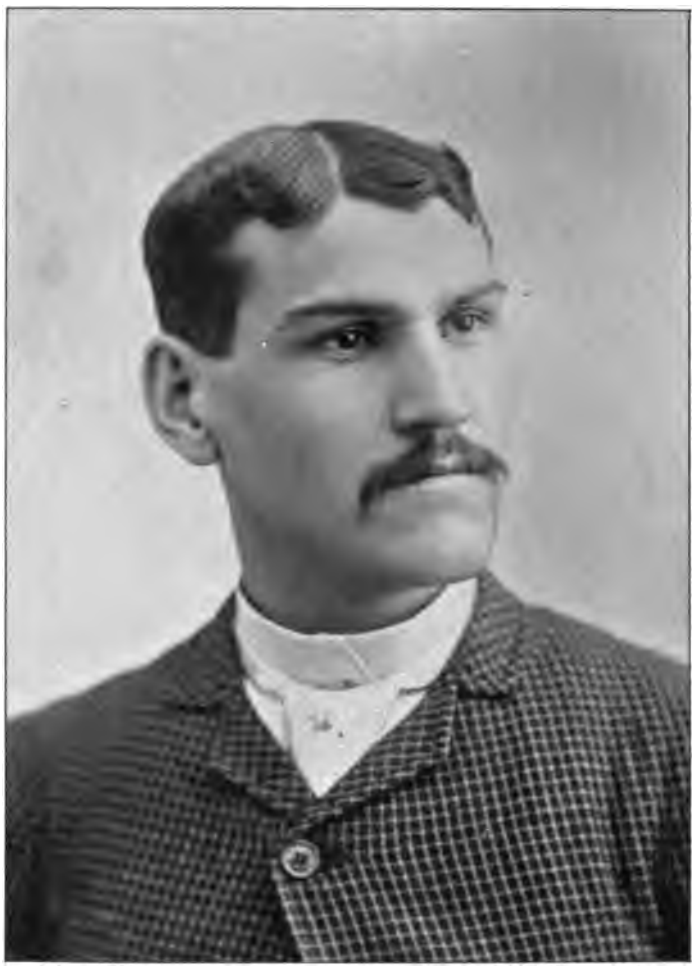
J. P. WHELAN, Contractor, Montreal, was born August 24th, 1843, in that city. His parents were John and Margaret (Douglas) Whelan. The former was a contractor in Montreal, and well known throughout the Province of Quebec. Our subject was educated in the public schools of Montreal, receiving a good practical training. He then entered into partnership with his father, remaining with him until the latter's retirement, in 1878. During the next five years he devoted his full time and attention to journalism, in the interests of the Irish Catholics of the Dominion. For the next ten years he was also more or less identified with this cause, and in this latter period also carried on a large contracting business. The papers with which he was connected were the Montreal *Post* and *True Witness*. In politics, Mr. Whelan is an active Liberal-Conservative; in religion, a Roman Catholic. In 1868, he was married to Miss Quinn, daughter of Michael Quinn, of Montreal. His family consists of two sons and three daughters, living. The elder son is a barrister, and a graduate of McGill University, while the second son is finishing his classical course at the Jesuits' College.

THE LATE REV. FATHER JOHN ISAAC MacCARTHY, Williamstown, Ont., was born in Halifax, N.S., October 13th, 1835, and died February 9th, 1892. From early youth Father MacCarthy manifested signs of devotion to the priesthood. Entering Regiopolis College, he prosecuted his classical studies, and, at the age of sixteen years, had completed his studies in rhetoric. He then proceeded to the Seminary of Quebec, where he studied philosophy and theology with marked distinction. He was ordained priest by Dr. Horan, June 20th, 1858. His first appointment was to Williamstown, Ont., being the second incumbent of this newly formed and, at that time, scarcely organized parish. Soon, under his skilful and zealous administration, the parish underwent a complete transformation. Catholic practices of devotion, not yet introduced into that section, took vigorous root. He established the Holy Rosary Society, and also the forty hours' devotion and Sacred Heart exercises. He also ministered successfully at Lancaster and Brockville, while the whole history of his life is replete with interest, and shows what small resources with mighty energy can effect.

FRANCIS GILBERT GALE, of the firm of Geo. Gale & Sons, Waterville, Que., and Birmingham, Eng., was born at Stanstead, Que., June 12th, 1855. He is a son of Geo. Gale, the inventor and patentee of the Dominion Wire Mattress, and one of the most enterprising of Canadian manufacturers. Mr. Gale was educated at Hatley Academy and Dartmouth College, graduating in 1876. In 1881, the firm located at Waterville, and in 1888, largely increased their premises. In 1889, they established warerooms at Leeds, Eng., but recently began manufacturing in Birmingham. Since the death of his father, in 1892, Mr. Gale has carried on the business with his brother, A. H. Gale. Mr. Gale was a member of the Municipal Council for about ten years, mayor for five years, is warden of Sherbrooke County, chairman of the Protestant School Board of Waterville, and president of the Coaticooke River Water Power Co. He was married, December 24th, 1885 to Miss Olivia Iola Laberee, of Eaton, Que., and has two sons, living.

VICTOR HUDON, Montreal, was born at Rivière Ouelle, P.Q., August 31st, 1812. In 1830, he became a clerk for Mr. Chouinard, Quebec. In May, 1832, he removed to Montreal, clerking for Mr. J. B. Casavant, and was afterwards sent by him to St. Césaire, where he remained five years. He then became a partner of Mr. N. C. Chaffers, St. Césaire, doing business also at St. Dominique and St. Pie. In 1842, Mr. Hudon returned to Montreal, becoming a partner of his cousin Ephraim Hudon, in the dry goods and grocery trade. The partnership dissolved after fifteen years, and our subject continued alone, largely extending his import trade. For ten years, he also did a heavy business at Havana. In 1872-73, he, with others, erected cotton mills at Hochelaga, under the name of the V. Hudon Cotton Mills Co. He founded the wholesale grocery firm of Hudon, Hébert & Co., Montreal. In 1834, he married Marie Godard, of Montreal. He has nine children, three of his sons having entered the priesthood.

F. CHATELAIN, Advocate, Notary and Barrister, corner Sussex and Rideau streets, Ottawa, Ont., was born at Curran, Prescott County, Ont. He received his early education in the schools of his birthplace. He afterwards pursued his studies at Rigaud and L'Assomption Colleges, and Ottawa University, taking a heavy classical course. In college, he was a most brilliant student, always standing at the head of his class, and evincing his adaptation for his profession. After graduating in 1885, he at once commenced reading law in the office of Mr. John Butterfield, L'Orignal, where he remained three years, and displayed abilities as a lawyer, which are destined to make him a well-known figure in legal circles. In 1888, Mr. Chatelain removed to Ottawa, and for two years studied in the offices of Messrs. Valin & Code, and F. Latchford, respectively. In May, 1891, he was called to the Bar and commenced practice on his own account, and although having to compete with older established and more experienced lawyers, he has nevertheless met with a flattering degree of success. Mr. Chatelain is a lawyer of the highest personal honor, a clever, convincing and powerful speaker, and having full command of the purest French as well as English, he takes a front place in the ranks of his profession. He has also strong social qualities, and makes hosts of friends wherever he goes. Mr. Chatelain is also an adept athlete, and was one of the best football players in the city of Ottawa, having been "forward" in the University of Ottawa Football Club, that held the championship of Canada for six years. He still remains an honorary member of his club, and is a lover and hearty supporter of all manly games. In religion, Mr. Chatelain is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. He is also a member of the C.M.B.A., Branch 59, and holds the office of president of the same. Although quite young in his profession, he commands a wide and influential clientelle, which is rapidly increasing.



JAMES A. GOUIN, Postmaster, Ottawa, Ont., was born at Baie du Febvre, Lake St. Peter, in March, 1835. He is a direct descendant of Mathurin Gouin, who emigrated from Poitou, France, in 1663, settling at Ste. Anne de la Pérade, County of Champlain, Que., where the family still occupies the same piece of land, which their ancestor cleared. His grandfather, Charles Gouin, was a member of the Legislature for the County of Yamaska, during the latter half of the last century. He was also Seigneur of Baie du Febvre and Courval. His father, François Gouin, married Lucinda Spicer, a Protestant lady of U.E. Loyalist stock, the subject of this sketch being their fifth son. After attending the public schools of Richmond, Que., Mr. Gouin entered Tom's Academy, in Quebec, where he completed his studies. Instead of following the occupation of his father and grandfather, who were lumbermen, he then went to the city of Quebec, where he entered the service of the Russell House, and soon showed that he possessed the intellectual capacity required for the direction of a large hotel. His name was well known in that line of business for thirty-five years. In 1863, he established the Russell House at Ottawa, which has been the leading hotel of the Capital since that time. In 1874, he built the Caledonia Springs Hotel, the well-known resort for invalids and tourists, and celebrated for its mineral water. In 1885, Mr. Gouin received the appointment of Postmaster at Ottawa, at the hands of the late Sir John A. Macdonald, the duties of which important position, he has since filled with the best of satisfaction to the public. In politics Mr. Gouin is a supporter of the Conservative party, and has done good work in their interests; in religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Mr. Gouin was married, in 1862, to Miss Adelaide Flindall, of Trenton, Ontario. His family consists of one daughter, now the wife of Mr. H. W. Bowie, the Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Commons of Canada.

PAUL C. LEVESQUE, deceased, late of Montreal, Que., was born, March 18th, 1850, at Ste. Elizabeth de Joliette, Que. His father's name was Narcisse Levesque, while his mother's maiden name was Louise Pellant both of French ancestry and well known in that part of the Province of Quebec. Mr. Levesque received his education at the schools of Ste. Elizabeth de Joliette. In 1869, he proceeded to California, where he was engaged in different lines of business and remained fifteen years. He then returned to Canada, settling in Montreal. Here he went into the hotel business, which he followed until the time of his death, when he was the proprietor of the Crystal Palace Hotel. He was popular and well known as a good business man. Mr. Levesque was a member of different fraternal and benevolent institutions, among which may be mentioned, St. Joseph, St. Pierre, A.O.U.W. and Cosmopolitan societies. In religion, he was a member of the Roman Catholic Church; in politics, a Conservative. He was married, February 22nd, 1887, to Miss Virginie Chartrand, daughter of D. Chartrand, Esq., who still survives him. Mr. Levesque died deeply regretted.

DAVID B. ALEXANDER, M. D., C.M., Trinity University, M.D., C.M., Victoria University, F. T. M.C., Trinity Medical College, Toronto, Ont., was born at Huntley, Ontario, December 8th, 1856. His parents were Robert Alexander and Jane Nesbitt, natives of Ireland. Dr. Alexander was educated at the public schools of Huntley and Ottawa, receiving a third-class teacher's certificate. After teaching school for four years, he attended the Ottawa Collegiate Institute, obtaining a second-class certificate, also matriculation in medicine from Ontario Medical Council. He then taught school again for two and one-half years, and in October, 1887, entered Trinity Medical College, graduating in 1891. He afterwards settled in Montreal, where he has now a large practice. Dr. Alexander is also a member of the Orange Order, True Blue, A.O.F., I.O.F., I.O. O. F., A. O. U. W., R.T. of T. and Masonic Order, being examining physician for the same, and has been a delegate to the grand lodges of several of these societies at different times. In politics, the Doctor is a Conservative; in religion, a Presbyterian. He takes a great interest in agricultural matters, particularly in the dairying branch.

PIERRE CATILLE, Editor and proprietor of *L'Ithlo Canadese*, the first Italian newspaper printed and published in Canada, was born April 27th, 1844, at Varese, Italy. His parents were Martino Catille and Marie Pessina. Mr. Catille was educated at the schools of his birthplace. At the age of fifteen, he commenced a mercantile career, which he followed for four years in Italy. In 1866 he came to Montreal, and in 1867 commenced business there, which he followed until 1870. Having amassed a considerable fortune, he then spent some years in a retired life, but again, in 1884, commenced business as a printer and publisher. In April, 1894, he established *L'Ithlo Canadese*, which is to-day the only Italian newspaper in Canada, and which has already reached a large circulation. In April, 1894, he opened a private bank, and has already built up a remunerative trade. He is also agent for the Dominion Line, Allan Line, Hamburg American, Anchor Line, North German, Fabre Line and Cunard Line. In religion he is a Roman Catholic.

THE REV. M. LEONARDO, Montreal, Quebec, was born in Italy in 1855. He received his education in that country. Early in life he decided to enter the priesthood, and, with this end in view, took a theological course. After completing his theological studies, he was ordained priest in March, 1879, by the Cardinal of Rende, who is now the Archbishop of Benevanto, Italy. After ordination, he was sent to the United States. After remaining there for several years, laboring among the Italian element in the places where he was stationed, he removed to Montreal, where he has since filled his charge with devotion, and is very popular with those who know him. All the Italians yet piously remember the eloquent sermons which he has given them during Lenten and other religious seasons. The most perfect harmony exists between the R. P. Augustin, vicar of the colony, and Father Leonardo, so that these two directors of the Italian colony have but one heart and one soul, to the great satisfaction of His Grace Archbishop Fabre.

THOMAS CRAWFORD, M.P.P., Toronto, Ont., was born August 16th, 1847, in Fermanagh County, Ireland. His father is James Crawford, who came to Canada in 1865, and settled with his family in Toronto. His mother's maiden name was Jane Morton Walmsley. Soon after their arrival in this country the former commenced the purchase and exportation of cattle, which he continued until his son took charge of the business. Mr. Crawford was educated at the public and high schools of Ireland. In 1869 he assumed the responsibilities of his father's business, and has since been eminently successful, being a shrewd and cautious business man. During the past twenty years he has taken an active part in public affairs, was elected alderman for No. 5 ward in 1892, re-elected in 1893, and during the latter year was chairman of the Property Committee. In June, 1894, he was chosen as the Conservative standard-bearer in the riding of West Toronto for the Ontario Legislature, and was elected by a majority of 1,500. October 1878, Mr. Crawford married Isabella, daughter of the late Hugh Fyfe, of Glasgow, Scotland. His family consists of one son and four daughters.

THE LATE JOHN MONK, Barrister-at-Law, Montreal, was born November 11th, 1820, in St. John's, Que., and died November 9th, 1881, in Montreal. He was the son of William Monk, who came to this country in 1812, from County Longford, Ireland, settling in St. John's, Que. Mr. John Monk was educated at Workman's School, Montreal. He studied law with Messrs. Ogden & Buchanan, the former being Attorney-General of Quebec in 1837. Before he was twenty-one years of age Mr. Monk was admitted to the Bar. He afterwards went, with Mr. Ogden, to Kingston, Ont. (then the seat of Government), where he remained four years. He then returned to Montreal, where he was engaged in the practice of law until the time of his death. During his practice in Montreal he was connected with Sir Francis Johnson, Geo. MacRae, Esq., and Col. Butler. In religion, he was a member of the Presbyterian Church. Mr. Monk was married twice: first, August 21st, 1845, to Miss Jane Larmouthe; and second, Sept. 15th, 1858, to Miss Elizabeth Carmichael. He had a family of ten sons and seven daughters, the ninth son being Alfred Monk, a barrister of Montreal.

THE LATE CHAS. MARTIN, Montreal, was born in Wissenburg, Alsace, September 4th, 1832. He was the son of a merchant of that town, and received his early education in various cities of Germany, with the intention and desire of entering the legal profession. Other influences, however, impelled him to enter mercantile life, among the cities of the Rhine Provinces, but after finding business affairs of that district, unsatisfying to his ambition, he determined to cross the Atlantic. Accordingly he commenced business in 1866, at Montreal. His earliest efforts in Canada, were directed to the manufacture of various goods hitherto constantly imported from abroad, and in a short time, he built up an extensive business on such articles as "Infant Food," "Ball Blue," "Black Lead," etc., etc. To this was added an almost limitless importation business, extending not only throughout Europe, but to distant Asiatic countries, as well as to Egypt and South America. Among the last of his importations, were pianos of German manufacture, upon which he likewise founded a fairly large business under separate conditions. Amid the greatest financial success in his business, and ever increasing connections, in January, 1883 he succumbed to an attack of pneumonia. He was a faithful member of the Unitarian Church, where he occupied an official position. Politically, his views coincided with those of the Liberal party, although he purposely abstained from any active part in political life. He was a man of great literary and artistic culture and possessed one of the largest private libraries in Canada, which he took great pride in improving and embellishing. In these, as in all other matters, he was energetic and persevering, and took a profound interest in the educational problems of the country. He married Bertha Herk, of Cologne, Germany, and left, at his death, three sons and two daughters, the former occupying prominent positions in the professional and business worlds. His genial manner had won for him a large circle of friends.

THE LATE COLONEL WM. FOSTER COFFIN, Montreal, was born at Bath, Somerset, England, November 5th, 1808. He was the eldest son of Major Coffin, who served for twenty-five years in the British army. His grandfather, John Coffin, was present at the siege of Quebec, when Montgomery fell, and to his courage and good organization are to be ascribed the repulse of the rebels and the saving of Quebec. He was born in Boston, Mass., and came to Canada at the time of the revolution, preferring rather to sacrifice his property than to be disloyal to his king and country. Col. Coffin was educated at Eton College. He came to Canada in 1830, and studied law in the office of the Hon. C. R. Ogden, Attorney-General of Lower Canada. At the expiration of his legal studies he became a member of the Bar in Montreal. He held the appointments of Assistant Civil Secretary, Police Magistrate and Commissioner of Police for several years. In 1842, he was appointed joint sheriff of the District of Montreal, which office he held for nine years. From 1858 to 1878 he was Ordnance Lands Agent and Commissioner of Ordnance and Admiralty Lands. During his residence in Montreal he raised a corps of light infantry, also a field battery of artillery, the latter being still in existence. To students of Canadian literature Col. Coffin is known for his admirable history of the war of 1812, published in 1864 under the title of "1812—The War and its Moral." Of the many histories of that struggle the work just mentioned is incomparably the best, both in style and in mention of hitherto unpublished incidents. In addition to the work referred to, Col. Coffin contributed largely to various periodicals on historical and military subjects on which he was considered an authority. He died in Ottawa, January 28th, 1878, in the 70th year of his age. Col. Coffin left a widow, one son and three daughters, two of the latter having since died. The son is now manager of the Quebec Bank at Three Rivers, Que.

THE LATE THOMAS ROBINSON, Toronto, Ont., was born March 14th, 1815, in the village of Skippsea, Yorkshire, England. He was the eldest son of Robert and Mary Robinson. Mr. Robinson learned the tailoring trade in the village of Burton, Agness, and came to Canada at the age of twenty-one, settling in Toronto, where he remained until his death. He commenced business on his own account as merchant tailor on Yonge street in 1838, was burnt out with a great many others in 1850, but started business again six months later. He was also on the staff of the fire brigade for thirteen years. He retired from business in 1873, and died in Toronto, August 31st, 1877. He never held any public office, although often pressed to do so, being of a retiring disposition. His character was above reproach, and he was beloved and trusted by his large circle of friends and by all who had business dealings with him. In politics, he was a Reformer. Mr. Robinson was married to Ann Jackson, May 22nd, 1838. His family consisted of four daughters and five sons, all of whom are now deceased. His widow, two granddaughters and one grandson are his only survivors.

THE LATE SIR ADAM WILSON, was born in Scotland, in September, 1814. His father was Andrew Wilson, a native of Scotland. He received his early education in Edinburgh, being educated with the intention of going to Sea, but at the age of sixteen years, he came to Toronto, where he took up the study of law, in the office of the late Hon. Robt. Baldwin. After his admission to the Bar, he entered into partnership with Hon. Mr. Baldwin, and later with Messrs. Paterson & Beaty, with whom he continued until his appointment to the Bench. He was Mayor of Toronto during 1859-60, in 1859, represented the North Riding of York County, in the Canadian Assembly, and was Solicitor-General until 1863. He was, for many years, one of the honored judges of the High Court of Justice for Ontario, and received the honor of knighthood some few years before his death. In religion, he was an Anglican; in politics, a Conservative. In 1838, Sir Adam married Emma Dalton, sister of the late R. G. Dalton, Q. C., for many years the Master in Chambers, in Toronto. Sir Adam Wilson died, December 29th, 1891, and was chief Justice, until about one year before his decease.

THE LATE WILLIAM BROWN, Toronto, Ont., was born in the County of Derry, Ireland, October 9th, 1829. He received a good business education at the schools of that county. In 1857, he came to Canada, and at first engaged in farming in the County of Peel, Ont., where he remained until 1880, He then removed to Toronto, and engaged in mercantile pursuits in which he was very successful. Mr. Brown was a self-made man, for at the time of his marriage, he did not have a dollar, but succeeded in accumulating over $20,000, afterwards. At the time of his death, he was conducting a large furniture business in Toronto. He was married in 1870, to Miss Margaret McArthur, daughter of Alexander McArthur, of Peel County, who survives him, the only other member of the family being an adopted daughter. In religion, he was connected with the "Brethren;" in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Brown was a man of sterling character, and fine business ability, well known and highly respected, not only in the community in which he lived, but in all parts of the province. He died September 29th, 1889, in Toronto, deeply regretted by a large circle of friends.

CHARLES HENRY PORTER, Professor of Music in Halifax Conservatory of Music, Halifax, N. S., was born February 1st, 1858, at Mangatuck, Connecticut, U.S.A. His parents are Charles Henry Porter and Isabella Porter, both now living. Prof. Porter received his education in the schools of the United States. At an early age he showed decided adaptation for music. After studying under the best professors in his own country, he went to Europe to still further perfect himself in the art. Here he studied at Leipsic, Germany under Dr. Carl Reinecke and Bruno Levintscher, etc., etc., returning to Canada fully qualified to take his stand in the front ranks of Canadian musicians. Since his appointment, as professor of music, at the Halifax Ladies' College he has brought this department to a high state of efficiency. Professor Porter is also director of the Orpheus Club, and organist and choir master of St. Matthew's Church, Halifax. As a pianist, organist and composer of sonatas, symphonies, overtures for orchestra, etc., he is widely and favorably known throughout the Province of Nova Scotia, as well as in other parts of the Dominion. He is unmarried.

HON. JOHN WELLINGTON GWYNNE.

Born 1817; made a Q.C. in 1850; First appointed to the Bench, November 12th, 1868; Made a member of the Senate of Toronto University, 1873, and promoted to the Supreme Bench of Canada in January, 1879.

HON. GEORGE EULAS FOSTER, M.P., D.C.L.

Born September 3rd, 1847; Elected Member of Parliament, 1882; appointed Minister of Marine and Fisheries, 1885; Minister of Finance, 1888.

D'ALTON McCARTHY, Q.C., M.P.

Born October 10th, 1836. Appointed Q.C., 1872; Elected to Parliament, 1876; President of the Ontario Conservative Union, 1884-1890; President of the Imperial Federation League in Canada, 1886-1891.

HON. ARTHUR R. DICKEY,

Secretary of State. Born at Amherst, 1854; Called to the Bar of Nova Scotia, 1878; Returned to Parliament first, 1888, on resignation of Sir Charles Tupper; Made Secretary of State, December, 1894.

HON. SIR JOSEPH PHILIPPE RÉNÉ ADOLPHE CARON, K.C.M.G., Q.C., M.P.

Born December 24th, 1843; Appointed Q.C., 1879; Elected to Parliament, 1873; Appointed Minister of Militia, 1880; K.C.M.G., 1885; Postmaster-General, 1892.

HON. SIR JOHN JOSEPH CALDWELL ABBOTT, K.C.M.G., Q.C.

Born March 12th, 1821. Member of Canadian Assembly, 1859-67; Member of Parliament, 1867-74, 1880-87; Appointed Senator, 1889; Prime Minister of Canada, June 16th, 1891, and K.C.M.G., 1892; Died 1893.

HON. JOHN JOSEPH CURRAN, Q.C., M.P., LL.D.

Born February 22nd, 1842; Appointed Q.C. in 1876; Elected to Parliament for Montreal Centre, 1882; Appointed Solicitor-General, 1892.

HON. AUGUSTE RÉAL ANGERS, Q.C.

Born in October, 1838; Member of Quebec Government, 1874-78; Judge of the Superior Court, Quebec, 1880-87; Appointed Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, 1887; Senator and Minister of Agriculture, 1892.

THE LATE ALEXANDER CAMERON, Toronto, Ontario, was born in Inverness, Scotland, June 22nd, 1828, and came to Canada with his father in 1834, settling at Amherstburg, Ont. When sixteen years of age Mr. Cameron entered Upper Canada College, and passed his examinations with distinction. He was a clever writer, even at that time, being a correspondent for New York and Quebec papers, thus making enough to pay his expenses at college, and also during the time when he was a student at law. After his admission to the Bar, he practised law in Toronto, and the firm established by him is still carried on, now, under the name of Cameron & Crooks. He was also a member of the law firm of Cameron, Cleary & Sutherland, of Windsor, and, with another partner, Mr. Thomas, owned all the prosperous village of Essex Centre, besides being a partner in the banking firm of Cameron & Curry, Windsor. To the citizens of Western Ontario, he was known as the "Earl of Essex," on account of his great interests there. He purchased much of his property in that county, when land was cheap, which has since become very valuable. Mr. Cameron was one of the best known and active business men in Toronto, having many interests to occupy his attention, and in various ways, succeeded in accumulating a fortune amounting to $1,500,000. He was married twice: first, to the daughter of the late Mr. Buell, of Osgoode Hall, Toronto, and after her death, he married, in 1878, Mrs. Ward, widow of the late Captain Ward, of Detroit, Mich. His family consists of three children, namely: Capt. A. B. Cameron, Mrs. G. W. Torrance, and Mrs. John Cartwright. After an illness, of about eight months, Mr. Cameron passed peacefully away at his residence, corner of Church and Carlton streets, Toronto, May 15th, 1893, being in the 65th year of his age. He had, by his kindly disposition, made a large circle of friends, who will long remember his many acts of kindness and generosity.

DR. H. E. DESROSIERS, Montreal, was born at St. Hughes, Bagot County, Que., July 29th, 1853. His father was Dr. J. B. Desrosiers, for thirty years the leading physician of St. Hughes, while his mother was Marie Camerande Cartier, a sister of the distinguished Sir George Etienne Cartier. The Cartier family were born at St. Antoine, Quebec. Our subject received his classical education at St. Hyacinthe College, where he spent eight years, completing a full course, graduating in 1872. In the same year, he commenced the study of medicine at Laval University, Quebec, where he spent four years, graduating bachelor of medicine in 1874, and doctor of medicine in 1876. In the same year, he began practice, with his father, at St. Hughes, where he remained two years. He then removed to Montreal in 1878, where he has since remained. He was appointed professor of texicology at the faculty of medicine of Laval University, Montreal, in June, 1879. One year later, he was appointed professor of "materia medica" and therapeutics in the same faculty. He was elected secretary of the faculty on his appointment to these positions, an office he still occupies. Dr. Desrosiers was first house surgeon of the Notre-Dame Hospital for two years, and, on his retirement from this position, elected life governor of Notre-Dame Hospital, and visiting physician. He is medical examiner of the Travellers' Life Insurance Company, being elected in March, 1890. He is also medical examiner of the Confederation Life Association, and the Mutual Life Insurance Company. He has to-day one of the largest and most lucrative medical practices in the city of Montreal, and has the confidence of all those who have come in contact with him. He has been one of the most energetic of the medical faculty of Laval, at all times, assisting it when in his power. In religion, the Doctor is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative. April 24th, 1883, Dr. H. E. Desrosiers was married to Marie Joséphine Lassalle.

THE LATE RICHARD SINCLAIR BRODIE, Toronto, Ontario, was born at Tasmania, New Zealand, November 5th, 1833. He was the son of George Sinclair Brodie, a descendant of an old family from the north of Scotland. Mr. Brodie was educated at Marshall College, Aberdeen, Scotland. In 1859, he came to Canada, and located near Guelph, Ont., where he carried on farming. In 1862, he returned to Scotland, and married Johanna Lumsden, daughter of the late John Lumsden, of Aberdeen, Scotland, a merchant and ship owner. He subsequently returned to Canada again, settling in Guelph, where he was engaged in business, and was for one year assistant editor of the Guelph *Mercury*. He then located in Toronto, Ont., and, at the time of his death, was employed in the office of the Provincial Secretary of Ontario. In religion, Mr. Brodie was a Presbyterian, holding the office of elder in Knox Church, Toronto; he was also a member of St. Andrew's Society. In politics, he was an ardent Liberal, and did much to advance the interests of his party. Mr. Brodie died July 13th, 1882, deeply regretted by a large circle of friends. His family consists of two daughters.

THE LATE WM. C. HARRIS, of the firm of Caldecott, Burton & Co., Wholesale Dry Goods Merchants, Toronto, was born, June 2nd, 1825, in the parish of Fearn, Forfarshire, Scotland. He was a son of the late Rev. David Harris, Presbyterian clergyman. Our subject was educated at the Academy of Dundee, and in 1857, came to Montreal. Here he remained for nineteen years, during which time he was engaged in the dry goods business. In January, 1879, he removed to Toronto, and became a member of the well-known firm of Caldecott, Burton & Co. He remained in connection with this firm until 1891, when he retired. In religion, Mr. Harris was a Presbyterian; in politics, a Liberal-Conservative. He was also a member of St. Andrew's Society. He was married, in 1860, to Miss Jean Gordon, of "Bayside," Whitby, Ont., daughter of Wm. Gordon, Esq., of that town. His family consisted of four sons and four daughters, one son and one daughter of whom are now living. The surviving son is Dr. Norman McLeod Harris, of London, Eng., while the daughter is living at home. One daughter was a missionary to India, who died there, February 14th, 1892. Mr. Harris died in 1893.

HON. SIR MACKENZIE BOWELL, K.C.M.G.,

Senator. Born December 27th, 1823; Elected to Parliament, 1867; Appointed Minister of Customs, 1878; Minister of Trade and Commerce, 1892; Commissioner to Australia, 1893; President of Intercolonial Conference, 1894; Prime Minister and K.C.M.G., December, 1894.

HON. N. CLARKE WALLACE, M.P.

Born 1844; Elected to Parliament 1878; Elected Grand Master of the Orange Order, 1889; Appointed Comptroller of Customs, 1892.

HON. JOHN FISHER WOOD, Q.C., M.P.

Born October 13th, 1852; Appointed Q.C., 1889; Elected to Parliament, 1882; appointed Comptroller of Inland Revenue, 1892.

HON. THOMAS MAYNE DALY, Q.C., M.P.

Born August 16th, 1852; Mayor of Brandon, Man., 1882, 1884; Appointed Q.C., 1890; Elected to Parliament, 1887; Minister of the Interior, 1892.

HON. HENRI ELZÉAR TASCHEREAU.

Born in Beauce County, P.Q., 1836; Called to the Bar, 1857; Appointed to the Supreme Bench, October, 1878.

HON. SIR HENRY STRONG,

Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada. Born in Dorsetshire, England, 1825; Called to the Bar, 1848; Made a Q C., 1863; Appointed a Vice-Chancellor of Ontario, December 27th, 1869; Appointed to the Supreme Court, 1875.

HON. ROBERT SEDGWICK.

Born in Aberdeen, Scotland, 1848; Called to the Bar of Ontario, 1872; Bar of Nova Scotia, 1878; Made Q.C., 1880; Appointed Deputy Minister of Justice, 1888; Appointed to the Supreme Bench of Canada, 1892.

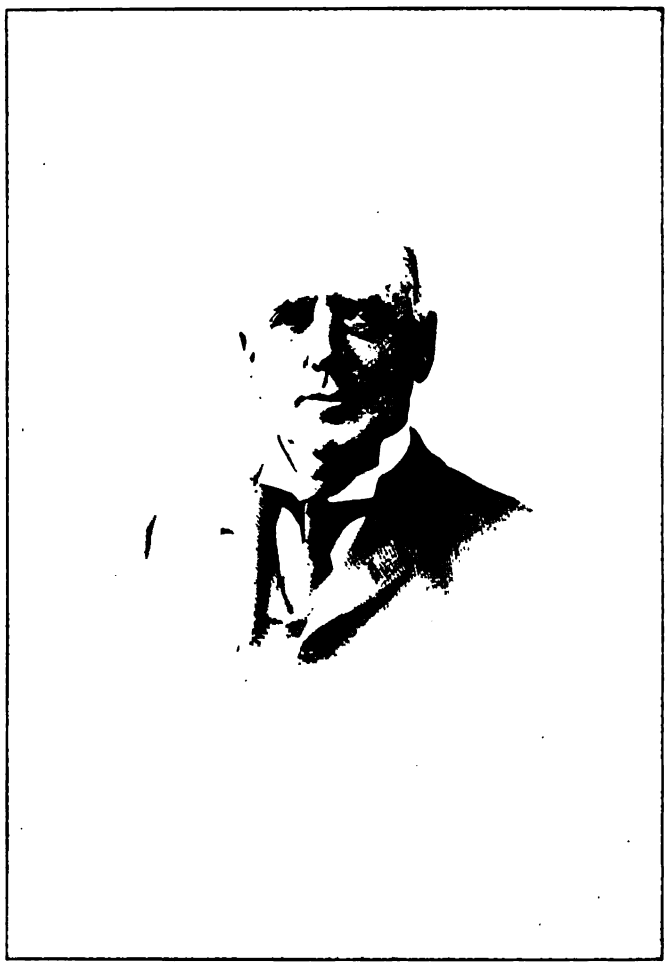
HON. TELESPHORE FOURNIER.

Born in Montmagny County, P.Q., 1823; Called to the Bar, 1846; Appointed a Puisne Judge of Supreme Court, October 8th, 1875.

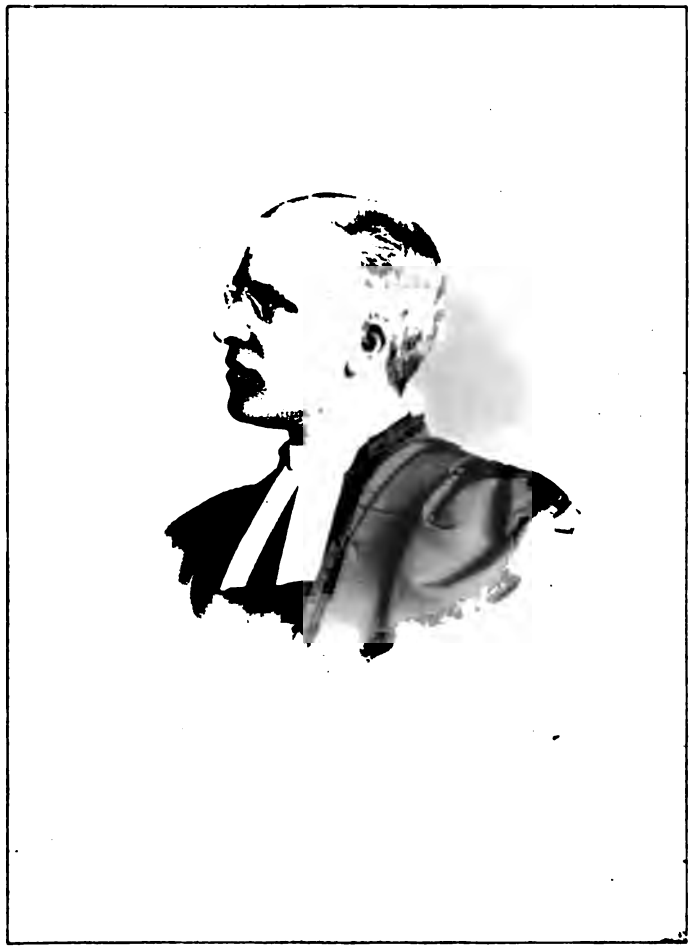
DAVID WILLIAM FERRIER, M. D., Toronto, Ont., was born in Markham, York County, Ont., January 20th, 1833. His father was William Ferrier, while his mother's maiden name was Cynthia Brand, the former of Scotch and the latter of English descent. Dr. Ferrier received his early education in the York County schools, supplemented by private study. He commenced the study of medicine in 1856, in the medical department of Victoria University, from which institution he graduated M. D., in due course. He first began practice in Pickering Township, in 1867, where he remained until 1892. He then removed to Toronto, and has since built up a successful practice. In religion, the Doctor is a Presbyterian; in politics, a Liberal. He has been married twice: first, in 1861, to Fannie Elizabeth Woodhouse, who died in 1882, and second, in April, 1891, to Annie McIntosh. His family consists of five sons and three daughters. Dr. Ferrier is connected with several fraternal organizations, being a member of the Masonic Order, Home Circle, Orange Order, and the A. O. U. W., having held the office of physician in connection with the latter.

THE LATE EDWARD FITZGERALD, Q.C., Toronto, Ont., was born, in 1826, near London, Ontario. His father was George Fitzgerald, one of the pioneers of London Township, and a prominent agriculturist. His mother's maiden name was Margaret Fenton. They were both natives of Ireland. Mr. Fitzgerald received his early education in the public schools, near London, Ont., afterwards entering King's College, Toronto, from which institution he graduated, winning gold and silver medals. He commenced the study of law in the office of the late Adam Wilson, and afterwards practised his profession in Toronto until the time of his death, being for many years one of the most eminent counsels of the Toronto Bar. In politics, he was a staunch Conservative, and although often solicited, would not consent to become a candidate for parliamentary honors. In religion, he was a member of the Church of England. April 30th, 1856, he married Georgina Burrell Telfer, a descendant of an old Scotch family. His family consists of one son and three daughters, the former now being a prominent barrister, practising in Toronto. Mr. Fitzgerald died December 31st, 1881.

FERNANDO ELWOOD TITUS, Barrister and Solicitor, Toronto, was born in Oxford County, July 10th, 1857. His father was Henry Albert Titus, one of the prominent men in his township in municipal politics, and at one time president of the Reform Association of South Oxford. His mother's maiden name was Emeline Wood. Mr. Titus received his early education in the public schools of Oxford Co., afterwards continuing his studies at Albert College, Belleville. He commenced the study of law in 1878, and succeeded in passing his examinations, admitting him to the Bar, in 1883. He opened an office in Woodstock in 1884, but removed to Brighton, Ont., in 1886, remaining until 1890. He then located in Toronto, and entered into partnership with Senator O'Donohoe, with whom he continued two years. In 1892, he became partner in the firm of Mercer, Titus & Bradford. In 1894, John King, Q. C., also entered this firm, and it then became known as King, Mercer, Bradford & Titus. Mr. Titus and the other members comprising this firm, are well up in their profession, and hold their full share of important cases before the Toronto Bar. Mr. Titus is a prominent member of the Knights of the Maccabees, being at one time Provincial Lieut. Commander of the Order, and since 1892, has been representative to the Canadian Fraternal Association for that society. In 1892, he was president of the Canadian Nationalist Association of Toronto, being one of the most prominent members of the same, and the issuer of a circular, "The Initiative and Referendum," which was sent to all legislators of the Dominion, also to municipal officers, showing the merits of this method of government. In politics, Mr. Titus is now an Independent, but was formerly very prominently identified with the Liberal party. In December, 1883, he married Miss Flora O. Cowan, a daughter of Colonel Thomas Cowan, now of Woodstock, Ont. His family consists of one son.



EZRA BUTLER EDDY, Manufacturer, Hull, Que., was born, in 1827, near Bristol, Vt. His father, Samuel Eddy, was descended from an old Scotch family, while his mother, Clarissa Eastman, was a direct descendant of the famous Miles Standish. Mr. Eddy was brought up on a farm, and was educated at the district school of Bristol. When fifteen years of age, he went to New York, where he secured a situation in a mercantile house, at a low salary, but was soon entrusted with the financial management of the firm. He subsequently returned to Vermont and commenced the purchase of butter and cheese for the New York and Boston markets, on his own account. In 1851, he commenced, on a small scale, the manufacture of friction matches, and being successful in this venture, came to Canada in 1854, locating in Hull, where he began manufacturing. In spite of the fact that the entire premises were destroyed by fire, in 1882, entailing a loss of over $250,000, over that covered by insurance, it is now one of the largest and most flourishing match and paper manufactories in the world. Mr. Eddy is president of the E. B. Eddy Co., Limited, and directs the affairs of the Company, being at his office every day. It may truly be said, that the city of Hull owes its existence to Mr. Eddy. His establishment now gives employment to about 2,000 persons, nearly all of whom are residents of the place. Mr. Eddy was alderman of Hull for many years, and held the office of mayor for thirteen years. He was also president of the Ottawa Ladies' College for several years. He is a Conservative in politics, and represented Ottawa County, in the Quebec Parliament for one term. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., and the founder of "Eddy Lodge," being its First Master, and is now Past District Deputy Grand Master. He is also a prominent Knight Templar. The late Mrs. Eddy died in 1893, and Mr. Eddy married, in 1894, Miss Jennie Grahl Hunter Shirreff, of Chatham, N. B.



REV. LOUIS H. JORDAN, B.D., Pastor of St. James Square Presbyterian Church, Toronto, was born, July 27th, 1855, at Halifax, N. S. His father, the late Wm. Jordan, was founder of a large wholesale and retail dry goods business, in Halifax. Mr. Jordan having graduated from Dalhousie College, Halifax, entered upon an extended course of travel and study, reading for some years at the universities, in Edinburgh, Leipsic, Berlin and Oxford, and making, with Mrs. Jordan, a tour round the world. He is a Lord Dufferin Gold Medallist of Canada, and a Medallist of Edinburgh University, from which institution, also, he obtained the degree of B. D. Mr. Jordan was ordained pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Halifax, December 7th, 1882. On May 7th, 1885, he was inducted pastor of Erskine Church, Montreal; but, after five years, he resigned and returned to Germany to continue his theological studies. While in Montreal, he was appointed lecturer on Church Polity, in the Presbyterian College. September 10th, 1890, he married Miss Kate Macdonald, daughter of the Chief Justice of Nova Scotia. Mr. Jordan was inducted pastor of his present charge, March 27th, 1894.

REV. JOHN MEDLEY WITHYCOMBE, Rector of Weymouth, N. S., was born, July 9th, 1855, at St. John's, Newfoundland. He is the son of Thomas P. Withycombe and Jane Pryor, natives of that island. Mr. Withycombe received his early education at the Church of England Academy, St. John's. He then engaged in mercantile business for a time, after which he was principal of the High School of Bay Roberts, Nfld., and was granted a certificate as teacher of navigation. After teaching five years, he entered King's College, Windsor, from which institution he graduated B. A., taking the Welsford prize in his first year, also the Stevenson scholarship. While taking his course, he was also teacher in the Collegiate School, Windsor. He was ordained deacon in 1889, and given charge of the Parish of Clementsport; ordained priest in 1890, and appointed to Weymouth, his other charges being Weymouth Bridge, Barton and New Tusket. Mr. Withycombe was married, in 1891, to Ethel A., daughter of H. W. Dimock, Esq., Collector of Customs, Windsor, N. S. He is at present school trustee. He is also secretary of the Deanery and chaplain to the I. O. F.

JOHN WANLESS, Jeweller, Toronto, Ont., was born February 18th, 1830, in Berwickshire, Scotland. His parents were Wm. and Margaret (Graham) Wanless. His father was a graduate of Edinburgh University, a school master and registrar of the Parish of Longformacus, Berwickshire. Mr. Wanless received his education in his father's school, and came to Canada in 1851. In religion, he is a member of the Presbyterian Church, holding the office of elder in Knox Church, Toronto; in politics, he is a Liberal. He is also a J. P. for York County. Mr. Wanless married, October 2nd, 1861, the widow of the late Wm. Beel, Toronto, and daughter of Daniel Kinsman, of Cornwall, Eng. His family consists of one son and three daughters, the former being a member of the firm of John Wanless & Co., Toronto.

JOHN WM. MOUNT, M. D., Montreal, was born August 4th, 1829, at St. Henri de Mascouche, Que. His parents were Lieut.-Col. Philip Mount and M. Angélique Gariépy. After a classical course at L'Assomption, Que., he graduated at McGill University, in 1851. Practised first in his native place and Terrebonne, then Actonvale, and subsequently Montreal. Twice alderman of St. Mary's Ward, he, as president of the Board of Health, largely contributed to the enactment of important by-laws for the improvement of the health of the city. Dr. Mount is physician to the female department of the Montreal jail, to the Montreal Street Railway, an active member of the St. Jean Baptiste Society and of the Dominion Medical Association. In 1854, he married Mary Jane, sister of R. Rev. J. Farrell, first Bishop of Hamilton, Ont.

JOSEPH TASSÉ, Manufacturer, senior member of the firm of Tassé, Wood & Co., Montreal, was born December 14th, 1854, in that city. He received his education in the schools of Montreal. After completing his studies, he started business life, as clerk, in a grocery establishment, which occupation he followed for eleven years. He was then in a position to start business on his own account, and the well-known house of Tassé, Wood & Co. was formed, which has since continued in a prosperous condition. It has now become one of the best known establishments of its kind in the city. Mr. Tassé is a member and director of the Victuallers' Association of Montreal. In politics, he is a supporter of the Conservative party; in religion, a member of the Roman Catholic Church. Mr. Joseph Tassé is unmarried.

REV. JAMES WILLIAMSON, M. A., LL. D., Vice Principal and Professor of Astronomy, Queen's University, Kingston, was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1806. He received his M. A. from Edinburgh University, and his LL. D. from Glasgow University. In 1831, he was licensed by the Presbytery of Edinburgh, but for some time was mainly occupied in private teaching. He also helped to establish the *Presbyterian Review*, afterwards known as the *North British Review*. He was subsequently missionary at Banton, Kilsyth, and assistant at Drumelzier, in the presbytery of Peebles. In 1842, he was appointed professor of mathematics and natural philosophy in the University of Queen's College, and in 1857, when the observatory originated, became director and observer. He is also well known as an author.

SAMUEL W. BURNS, M. D., Shelburne, N. S., was born January 23rd, 1837, at New Glasgow, N. S. His parents were Mitchell and Mary Ann Burns. Dr. Burns was educated at the Grammar School, New Glasgow, and Sackville Academy. In 1861, he commenced the study of medicine at Bellevue Medical College; 1863, was appointed medical cadet and served in the Military Hospital during the Winter; in the field, with the Army of the Potomac, during the Summer. He graduated in 1864, and was then promoted to Assistant Surgeon. After serving with the army eight months, he located in Shelburne, where he still resides, and has a large practice. In religion, the Doctor is a Methodist; in politics, a Conservative. He married twice: first, to Alena A. Morton; and second, to Jedidah, daughter of Hon. Freeman Tupper.

THE LATE JAMES BURNETT, Stock Broker, and President of the Montreal Stock Exchange, was born, December 25th, 1843, in Fifeshire, Scotland, and was educated in that country. He was, for a time, employed in the Bank of Scotland, Kirkcaldy, but moved to the Bank of B. N. A., Quebec, in 1862. Thirty years later, he commenced business as stock broker in Montreal, and was looked upon as one of the leading men in his line of business, while his high character was shown in all his dealings. In religion, Mr. Burnett was a Presbyterian, holding the office of trustee in St. Paul's Church, Montreal. He married, in 1872, a daughter of the late James Findlate, Banffshire, Scotland, who, with four sons and three daughters, survive him. Mr. James Burnett died suddenly, on July 9th, 1894.

THE LATE PILLANS S. STEVENSON, President of the New Brunswick Railway, was born in 1825, at Leith, Scotland. After completing his education in Germany, he joined his parents in Ottawa (then Bytown). He received the basis of his education in the Bank of Montreal, and, after some experience in the grain business, entered the G. W. R., subsequently having for many years entire charge of the whole freight system of the G. T. R. He held an honorary commission, as Colonel, in the Imperial Army, in recognition of his volunteer services during the Fenian troubles, but never assumed his military rank. He was twice married, and at his death, which was caused by an accident on the New Brunswick Railway, left a widow, four sons and four daughters. He left a name universally beloved throughout the country.

THE LATE CHARLES W. WILLIAMS, Montreal, was born at Foster, R. I., U. S. A., February 1st, 1831. His parents were Caleb and Filey (Whidden) Williams. Mr. Williams was educated in the public schools of his native village. In 1862, he came to Canada, locating in Montreal, where he introduced sewing machines. He soon after also established a sewing machine manufacturing business in that city, which was carried on under the name of the Williams Sewing Machine Company. Mr. Williams was at the head of this concern, and conducted the business very successfully for ten years. He was married, in 1854, to Anna T., daughter of Wm. Draper, of Plymouth, New Hampshire. In religion, Mr. Williams was a Presbyterian. He died in 1872, leaving a widow, but no family.

ARTHUR GUY ASHTON-FLETCHER, M. D., C. M., F. T. M. C., Toronto, Ont., was born in Woodstock, Ont., January 15th, 1870. His parents were Ashton-Fletcher, M. A., LL. B., Q. C. (the latter both from the Ontario and Dominion governments). Dr. Fletcher was educated at Woodstock, Trinity College School, Port Hope, and also studied under his father, for one year. He matriculated in medicine in 1887, in the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. In early life, he travelled considerably, visiting England, Mexico, Manitoba and the North-West, etc., etc. In 1890, he entered Trinity Medical College, graduating with honors in 1894, and has recently been appointed an assistant demonstrator in pathology and anatomy in this institution. In 1894, he visited St. Mary's Hospital, Washington, D. C., paying special attention to diseases of children, and during the present year (1895), purposes going to New York city for a course on this subject, having decided to devote his special attention to that branch. In religion, the Doctor is an Anglican; in politics, a Liberal. He is also a member of the I. O. F., and of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

DUNCAN McTAGGART, Montreal, Que., was born, May 1st, 1821, at Kintyre, Argyleshire, Scotland. He was educated at Campbelltown. He came to Canada in 1841, first settling in Darlington Township., but soon afterwards removing to Oxford County, where he was engaged in the fanning mill business. He was then in the service of the G. W. R., for eight years. In 1862, he became fuel agent of Western Division G. T. R., with headquarters at Toronto. Ultimately, his functions extended over the whole line, and he took up his residence in Montreal. After the amalgamation of the G. T. R. and G. W. R., the whole system was under his control, until the time of his death, September 24th, 1886. Mr. McTaggart was a member of St. Andrew's Society, a life member of the Celtic Society, and in politics was a Liberal. He was, for several years, on the Board of Management of Erskine Presbyterian Church, Montreal. He married, in 1849, Miss Christina Beith, daughter of Donald Beith, Esq., of Kintyre, Argyleshire, Scotland. His widow, three sons and five daughters survive him. His sons are: A. W. McTaggart, C.E.; D. D. McTaggart, B. A. Sc.; and N. B. McTaggart, C. E.

THE LATE JAMES HUTTON, Montreal, was born in Birmingham, Eng., March 25th, 1812. He was the son of William and Catherine Hutton, and was educated in Birmingham. His elder brother, W. Carr Hutton, having established some years previously in Sheffield, an electro-plating business, Mr. Hutton joined him, remaining until 1841. He then came to Montreal, to represent Messrs. Marsh Bros., of Sheffield, in the cutlery and hardware trade. On their retirement from business, in Montreal, Mr. Hutton represented several leading houses in Sheffield, Wolverhampton and other places. In 1856, he admitted his nephew, Mr. W. H. Hutton, as a partner, when the firm became James Hutton & Co., under which name it still exists. In 1884, he withdrew from active business, feeling the weight of increasing years; after his retirement, the business was carried on by his nephew, until his death in 1893, and is now continued under Mr. Hutton's successors. He was a Liberal in politics, but took no active part in either political or public life. He was a member of the Church of England, and was identified with St. George's Church, Montreal, from its erection, April 23rd, 1843, until his death. He was also one of its lay delegates to both the Diocesan and Provincial Synods for several years, and filled the responsible office of treasurer (honorary), to the Diocese of Montreal, and to the Provincial Synod up to the time of his death. Mr. Hutton was a man of unblemished character, and of the strictest integrity, and high moral rectitude. He always took an active interest in religious work, and was deeply interested in the establishment of the Montreal Diocesan College, to which he contributed, and of which he was a life governor. In 1843, Mr. Hutton married the only daughter of Mr. Wm. Ludlam, of Montreal, who survives him. His death occurred August 23rd, 1889, in his 77th year, and was mourned by a large circle of friends who were connected with him in business and social circles.

REV. D. H. MACVICAR, D. D., LL. D., Principal of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, was born, November 29th, 1831, near Campbelltown, Scotland. When quite a boy, he came to Canada with his parents, settling in Kent County, Ont. He received his early education from a private tutor, and continued his studies at Toronto Academy and Toronto University. In the Fall of 1855, he entered Knox College, where he received his theological course. In 1859, he was licensed by the Presbytery of Toronto, and for some time, conducted services in the West End of that city. After declining numerous calls, he became Pastor of Knox Church, Guelph, where he labored one year with marked success. In the Fall of 1860, he received a call from Cotté Street Free Church, Montreal, where he remained nearly eight years, during which time the church attained a very high state of efficiency. In 1868, he was appointed professor of divinity, in the Presbyterian College, Montreal, which was a very different affair from that of to-day. At that time, it met in the basement of Erskine Church, and there were only five or six students, while to-day the buildings are magnificent, containing a large and valuable library, etc. Dr. Macvicar's pre-eminent qualifications as a teacher, are known all over the continent, and have been felt and recognized, far beyond the sphere of college work. He has served, for over 20 years, on the Protestant Board of School Commissioners, and is chairman of the same at the present time. He is also well known as a lecturer, and is the author of sermons, essays and reviews, and of two arithmetics, which are in use in the Province of Quebec. In 1870, he received his LL.D. from McGill University, Montreal, and in 1883, his D.D., from Knox College, Toronto. He has been delegated to all the great Presbyterian councils, held in Edinburgh, Scotland, Philadelphia, Pa., Belfast, Ireland, London, England and Toronto. He was also Moderator of the General Assembly, in 1881.

THE LATE NICKSON ROBINSON, Toronto, was born in Yorkshire, Eng., July 29th, 1825. In 1839, he came to Canada, locating at Toronto with his brother, Thos. Robinson, who was a merchant tailor on Yonge street, with whom he remained one year. He was then with Mr. Charles Hanath, until 1849, after which he leased the "Castle Frank" Brewery, on Bloor street, and remained there until a tannery was built, which spoiled the water. After farming for ten years, he carried on a hotel on Yonge street, and subsequently the Globe Hotel, on the same street, but in 1880, purchased the Gladstone House, on Queen street west, where he resided until the time of his death, July 3rd, 1880. In politics, he was a Conservative; in religion, a Methodist. February 28th, 1846, he married Susannah, daughter of James Barnett, Lincolnshire, Eng., a descendant of an old English family. Mrs. Robinson has, in her possession, the family crest, their motto being "Nisi Paret Imperat," unless he obeys, he commands. Mr. Robinson was a member of the I. O. F., and was one of the best known and highly respected business men in Toronto. He has six sons and two daughters, all married.

JAMES GUEST, Wholesale Merchant, Montreal, was born, Aug. 28th, 1843, in the County of Tipperary, Ireland. His father's name was William Guest, who died at the age of 84, while his mother was Ann Guest. Mr. Guest came to Canada in 1860. Four years later, he located in Montreal and embarked in the commission business, in which he continued eleven years. Then in 1875, he formed the company, of which he is now the head. His thorough knowledge of mercantile affairs, has secured for him a large trade, and he is now known as one of the most successful business men in Montreal. In 1884, when the Victuallers' Association was organized, he was made one of its directors, and has held important positions ever since in this association. He is also a member of the Board of Trade, Montreal, and of the Masonic fraternity. In religion, Mr. Guest is a member of the Church of England; in politics, a Conservative. He has taken a prominent part in the military affairs of Canada for a great many years. In 1862, at the time of the Trent Affair, he organized a company of one hundred men, and with them saw active service. He also was at the front at the time of the Fenian raid.

HON. SIR CHARLES HIBBERT TUPPER, LL. B., Q. C., K. C. M. G., M. P.

Born August 3rd, 1855; Appointed Q. C., 1890; Elected to Parliament, 1882; Appointed Minister of Marine and Fisheries, 1888; Minister of Justice, 1895; British agent Behring Sea Commission, 1893; K. C. M. G., 1893.

HON. JOSEPH ALDERIC OUIMET, Q. C., M. P.

Born May 29th, 1843; Appointed Q. C. 1880; Elected to Parliament, 1873; Speaker of House of Commons, 1887-91; Appointed Minister of Public Works, 1892.

HON. JOHN COSTIGAN, M. P.

Born February 1st, 1835; Elected to Parliament, 1871; Appointed Minister of Inland Revenue, 1882; Secretary of State, 1892.

DOUGLAS STEWART.

Born 1850; Assistant Accountant Public Works, 1879, and of Railways and Canals, 1882; Private Secretary Minister of Justice, 1885; Secretary Canada-Newfoundland Convention, 1892; Secretary Sir John Thompson, Behring Sea Arbitration, Paris, 1893; Inspector penitentiaries, 1895.

HON. GEO. EDWIN KING, D. C. L., LL. D.,

Judge of the Supreme Court of Canada. Born October 8th, 1839, at St. John, N. B.; Called to the Bar of New Brunswick, 1865; Elected to Provincial Parliament, 1867; Attorney General and leader of the New Brunswick Government, in 1870-78; Appointed Judge Supreme Court, N. B., 1880; Appointed Judge Supreme Court of Canada, 1893.

HON. JAMES COLEBROOKE PATTERSON, M. P.

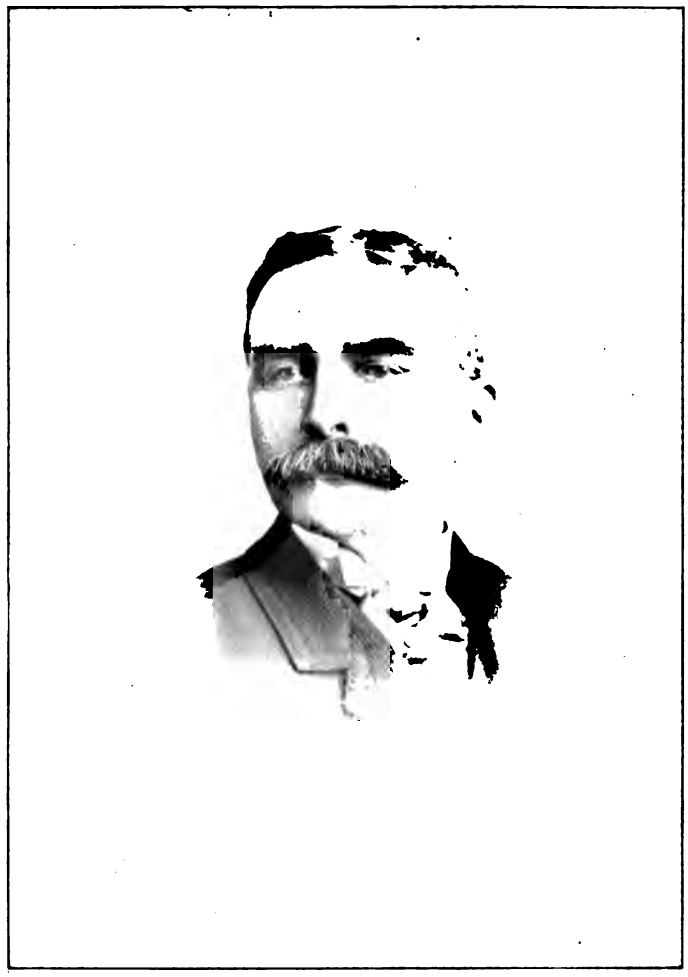
Born 1839; Elected to Ontario Legislature, 1874, and to Dominion Parliament, 1878; Appointed president of Conservative Union of Ontario, 1891; Minister of Militia, 1892.

HON. SIR JOHN CARLING, K. C. M. G., M. P.

Born January 23rd, 1828; Elected to Parliament, 1857; Appointed Postmaster General, 1882; Minister of Agriculture, 1885; K. C. M. G., 1893.

HON. JOHN GRAHAM HAGGART, M. P.

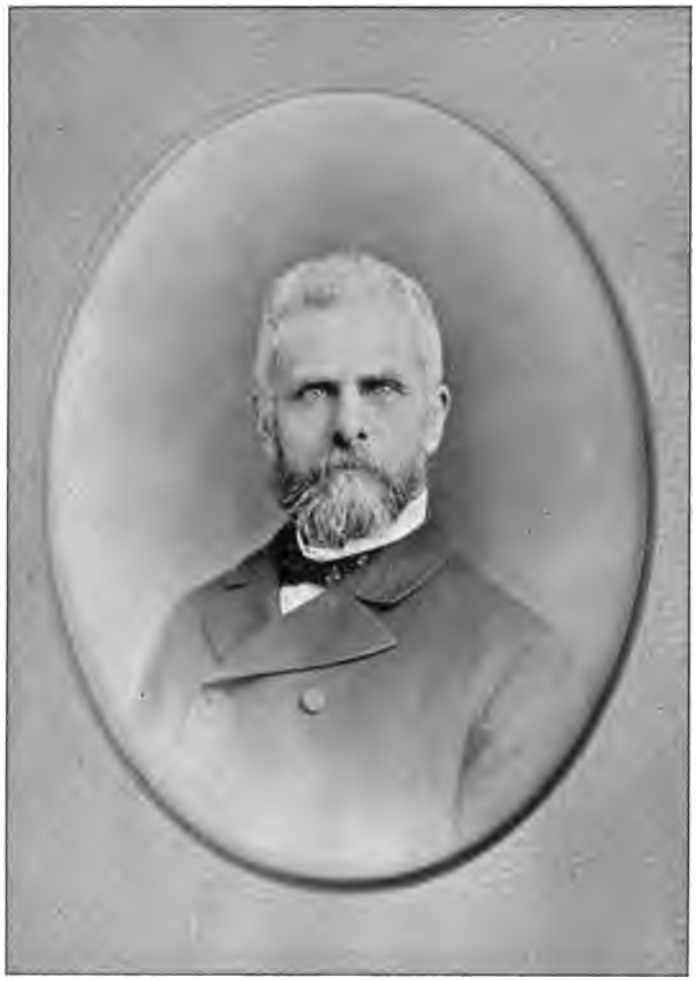
Born November 14th, 1836; Elected to Parliament, 1872; Appointed Postmaster General, 1888; Minister of Railways and Canals, 1892.



WILLIAM SMITH, M.P., Farmer, Columbus, Ont., was born, November 16th, 1847, in the township of East Whitby. He is the son of William Smith and Elizabeth Laing, natives of Morayshire, Scotland. Mr. Smith received his early education in the public schools of Columbus, Ont., after which he continued his studies in Upper Canada College. He has always been engaged in agricultural pursuits, and is now known as one of the most progressive and prosperous of Canadian agriculturists, all his operations in this connection being conducted on the latest and most improved methods. Mr. Smith was deputy reeve, and afterwards reeve of the township of East Whitby. He was also trustee of Columbus School Board for twenty years. In politics, he is a Conservative, and for many years has been prominently identified with the political affairs of his constituency. He was elected M. P. for South Ontario, in 1887, and again in 1892, both elections being very popular and enthusiastic. In religion, he is a Presbyterian. Mr. Smith was married, May 25th, 1880, to Helen Burns, daughter of James Burns and Margaret Martin. His family consists of one daughter and two sons.

FRANCISCO MARIANO D'AURIA, Head Teacher of Voice Culture, in Toronto Conservatory of Music, was born, in 1841, at Naples, Italy. He was educated at the Royal College of Music, San Pietro Majello, being a pupil of Commentatare Saverio Mercadante (Director). After conducting orchestra for Grand Opera, at Milan, Bercelona, Marseilles and many other of the principal cities of Europe, Sig. d'Auria came to America in 1876, and was engaged as conductor of the Maeanerchor German Society, at the Centennial Exhibition, and director of the Amphion Society, Philadelphia. Leaving that city in 1879, he went to New York, as director of the vocal department of the Conservatory of Music. In 1881-82, Mme. Patti first visited America, and Sig. d'Auria was chosen as conductor and musical director of her Opera Company, which led the musical festivals at Cincinatti and Boston. After terminating his engagement with Mme. Patti's Company, Sig. d'Auria accepted his present position in the Toronto Conservatory of Music. He has filled the position of director to the Choral and Orpheus societies and organized and conducted the Toronto Symphony Orchestra.

LIEUT.-COLONEL JOHN MACPHERSON, Director of Stores and Keeper of Militia Properties of the Department of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, Ont., was born at Lancaster, County of Glengarry, Ont., in 1830. Having completed his education, he entered mercantile life, in Montreal, and continued to carry on business for several years in that city. At an early age, he showed a marked tendency to enter military life, and in 1849, received a commission from the 3rd Battalion of the Montreal Militia. In 1856, he carried out the scheme of establishing a Company, chosen from Highlanders, and was made its captain, and shortly afterwards, promoted to the rank of major. In 1861, he was gazetted brigadier major to the active force of Montreal. The following year, he was appointed brigade major of Military District No. 2. In 1865, he became a lieutenant-colonel of militia, and the following year, during the Fenian troubles, was in active service with the staff of Major General Lindsay, at Montreal. In the same year, he was appointed deputy assistant adjudant general of militia, and was given the command of one of the military districts of Lower Canada. In 1870, he was appointed acting superintendent of military schools in the Dominion. This position he retained until April of the same year, when, on the outbreak of the Fenian Raid, he was again appointed on the staff of General Lindsay, and accompanied the staff of His Royal Highness Prince Arthur, to the scene of action on the Missisquoi and Huntingdon frontier. He afterwards acted as deputy of the Minister of Militia. In 1880, he was appointed to his present position, which he fills with marked ability. Colonel Macpherson's wide experience in military matters, enables him to successfully conduct the affairs of his responsible office. Should an unfortunate emergency arise, demanding intelligent action, our people could rely on wise and prompt despatch at the hands of the present director of militia stores.



THE LATE ROBERT BLACKBURN, M.P., Ottawa, was born in Glasgow, Scotland, December 10th, 1827. He was the son of Robert and Robina Blackburn, the former being a well-known manufacturer of Glasgow. Mr. Blackburn was educated at the Grammar School, Glasgow, and at the age of fourteen, came to this country with his father, settling at Bytown (now Ottawa city). After spending a year in the employ of his uncle, at Aylmer, Que., Mr. Blackburn associated himself with J. S. Durie, Ottawa, and at the age of twenty-one, commenced lumbering operations on the Ottawa River. He was very successful in this undertaking, and became known as one of the leading lumbermen of the province. He also opened a dry goods establishment at New Edinburgh, which he conducted for a number of years very profitably. At the time of his death, Mr. Blackburn was president of the Hawkesbury Lumber Co., vice-president of the Bank of Ottawa, president of the Ottawa Freehold Association, president of the Ottawa Land Association, director of the Ottawa Gas Company, of the Electric Light Company, the Russell House Company, Metropolitan Loan Company, and of the Protestant Hospital. In politics, he was a supporter of the Reform party, and, during the last term of the Mackenzie government, represented the County of Russell, in the House of Commons. In religion, he was a member of the Presbyterian Church. He was married, June 22nd, 1864, to Miss Mary Anne French, daughter of John Strachan French and Mary A. Chesley, both of Cornwall, Ont. His family consists of four sons and two daughters. Mr. Blackburn died in Liverpool, Eng., August 12th, 1894, where he had gone for the benefit of his health. His remains were brought to Canada, and interred at Beechwood. He was a man who exercised broad Christian charity, and was respected by all who knew him. He left behind him, not only an honored memory, but a vacancy that, in many respects, was very difficult to fill.

THE LATE LIEUT.-COLONEL JOHN STEWART, Contractor, Ottawa, was born at Dungivin, Ireland, in 1835. He is a son of Walter and Martha (McFarlane) Stewart, who were natives, and life long residents of the Old Land. Mr. Stewart received an excellent education at the schools of Ireland, and served an apprenticeship to the building trade in that country. In 1857, he left Ireland, and came to Ottawa. After working as carpenter for a short time, he began contracting on his own account. In this venture, his executive ability and thorough knowledge, enabled him to secure and carry on to completion several of the most important Government works. In politics, he was an enthusiastic Conservative, and in religion, a devoted member of the Anglican Church. He was married, first to Miss Mary Heney, of Ottawa, who died in 1879, and in 1884, he married Miss Jean Taylor, daughter of J. M. Taylor, Esq., one of the representative citizens of Ottawa. His family consists of five sons and three daughters.

FRANK McDOUGAL, ex-Mayor of Ottawa, Wholesale and Retail Hardware Merchant, was born, April 1826, in the County of Glengarry, Ont. His parents were Alex. McDougal and Margaret Macdonald. Mr. McDougal was educated at the public and Grammar schools of his native place. He commenced business in the hardware line in Bytown (now Ottawa) in 1851, in which he has since continued with marked success. He was elected alderman in 1871, and served in the Ottawa City Council for twenty years. He was elected mayor in 1885, and served for two years, during which time improvements were introduced, involving an expenditure of $500,000, and an arrangement made whereby the Government agreed to keep in repair the city bridges and abolish the tolls on the Union Bridge, connecting Hull with Ottawa. He was also president of the Board of Trade in 1886. In 1858, he married Miss Amelia McGillis. His family consists of three sons. In politics, he is a Reformer; in religion, a Roman Catholic.

REV. JOHN MAY, M. A., Ottawa, was born in the Township of Beckwith, Ont., in 1834. He matriculated at Queen's College, Kingston, in 1854, received his B. A. in 1857, and his M. A. four years later. After being principal of the Guelph Grammar School for three years, he became head master of the Kingston Grammar School, but subsequently opened a select classical school there. In 1862, he was ordained deacon of the Anglican Church, and in 1863, priest. In 1866, he became pastor of the Parish of March, and in 1870, went to Frenont, Neb., but after six months, returned to Ottawa. In 1871, he became inspector of schools for Carleton County, and assistant minister of Christ Church, Ottawa. Mr. May is a Conservative in politics, and twice ran for the Commons, once against the late Sir John A. Macdonald, but was defeated by a small number of votes. He is a vigorous writer, and an able and attractive preacher. He is also a Mason in high standing and an Orangeman. He was married in 1857, and has five children.

JOHN CHARLES ENRIGHT, Hardware Merchant, and Alderman, Ottawa, was born, April 5th, 1851, in that city. His parents were J. and Ann O'Boyle, of Irish descent, the former a native of Montreal, and the latter of County Sligo, Ireland. Mr. Enright was educated at the Christian Brothers' School and Ottawa College. In 1874, he assumed control of the business previously carried on by his late father. He takes an active part in municipal and school matters, and since 1878, is separate school trustee for Victoria Ward. He was also Chairman of the Board for two years. He was elected alderman in 1895. Mr. Enright is a member of the C. M. B. A., C. O. F., being financial secretary for the former, for seven years, and president for two years; treasurer of St. Patrick's Orphan Asylum for four years, and a member of the Council of St. Patrick's Asylum for a similar period. In politics, he is a Conservative; in religion, a Roman Catholic. He married, October 6th, 1875, to Alice McCurley, of Ottawa.

JOHN CHARLTON, M. P., Lynedoch, Ont., is descended from an old and illustrious Northumberland family, whose ancestral line may be traced back to the Norman era of English history. He was born at Caledonia, N. Y., February 3rd, 1829. His parents were Adam Charlton, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, and Ann Gray, who was also of a noted Northumberland family. Our subject spent his early life on a farm, and attended the McLaren Grammar School, at Caledonia, and afterwards the Springville Academy. In 1849, the family removed to Canada, settling in Waterloo County, on a farm. In 1853, Mr. Charlton entered Mercantile life in partnership with Mr. Geo. Gray, opening a general store, at Wilson's Mills, where the Post Office of Lynedoch had been established the previous year. The business prospered, and soon Mr. Charlton launched into lumbering operations, in connection with Messrs. Smith, Westover & Co., of Tonawanda, N. Y. He is still engaged in lumbering enterprises, and as a business man, is noted for his sagacity, industry and sterling integrity. His first connection with politics was in 1872, when he accepted the nomination for the Commons in North Norfolk, and after a sharp and exciting contest defeated Aquilla Walsh, Esq., who was regarded as the strongest Conservative candidate that could be placed in the field. He has continued to represent North Norfolk since that time, having been returned at every General Election. He has taken an active and laborious part in the work of the House of Commons, and is regarded as one of the ablest debaters in Parliament. He is of a genial and kindly temperament, but possesses firmness of character and stubborn tenacity of purpose. Although perceptibly beyond the prime of life, his vigor shows no sign of decay, and it is hoped that his country may long enjoy the benefit of his labor and experience. In 1854, Mr. Charlton was married to Miss Ella Gray, of Lynedoch, a native of Portage, N. Y.

THE LATE THOMAS STERRY HUNT, M. A. (Harvard), Sc. D. (Laval), LL.D. (McGill), and LL.D. (Cambridge, Eng.), was born in Norwich, Conn., September 5th, 1826. In 1845, he became a special student, and afterwards assistant under Prof. Benj. Williman, Sr., in Yale College. Two years later, he was selected by Mr. (afterwards Sir) Wm. Logan to be the chemist and mineralogist to the Geological Survey of Canada, remaining in this position for 25 years, and was employed in the earliest scientific investigations of petroleum, rock salt, phosphates, iron and copper ores of Canada. While in this connection, he also did much literary work, and published in a succession of papers, those wide views on chemical and general geology, which were embodied in his greater works, and more especially in his "Mineral Physiology and Physiography" (1886). His work entitled "A New Basis of Chemistry," published in 1887, has gone into a third edition, and has been translated into French. He also published, in 1891, a work on "Systematic Mineralogy," giving a new classification on the mineral kingdom. He was professor of chemistry in Laval University, Quebec, from 1856 to 1862, and was honorary professor until his death. He was also, for several years, lecturer in McGill University, Montreal, professor of geology at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1872-78, and was well known all over the Continent, as an eminent educator. He was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of London, in 1859, and was a member of a large number of other societies, both Canadian and foreign. In 1878, Dr. Hunt retired from public professional life, and devoted himself to the perfecting of his more important works in new editions. His health, however, gradually declined, and he passed peacefully away, February 12th, 1892. His death must be deplored as a great loss to science. In 1878, Dr. Hunt married the eldest daughter of the late Mr. Justice Gale, a lady of culture, who survives him.

THE LATE ELIJAH EDMUND SHELTON, Montreal, Que., was born near Huntington, Conn., U. S. A., February 25th, 1813, and died in Montreal, March 24th, 1891. His parents were Elijah B. and Betsey (Dunning) Shelton. Mr. Shelton came to Canada in 1842, and soon after, began business as a merchant. He retired in 1873. He was one of the founders of the House of Refuge, being at the time of his death, one of the vice-presidents of the same. He was also governor of the Diocesan Theological College, one of the oldest members of the Synod, and for many years a member of the Executive Committee. He was also, for several years, warden of Christ Church Cathedral, and at one time a member of the Board of Health. In religion, he was an Anglican, and during his life, was a most liberal giver to his church and to missions, while his will bequeathed the sum of about $200,000 to the Mission Fund of the Anglican Diocese of Montreal. Mr. Shelton was twice married: first, to Miss Mary, daughter of the Rev. D. Butler, D.D., of Troy, N.Y., and second, to Miss Clara M., daughter of William Howard, of Milford, Mass. In politics, he was a Conservative.

JOHN OGILVIE, Montreal, was born, in 1833, at St. Michael, Que. He was educated at the High School of that city. Early in life, he engaged in the milling business, entering a mill which was founded by his grandfather. He was very successful in this line of business, and became one of the leading millers in the world. Mr. Ogilvie was the first to introduce the roller milling process, having made a personal investigation of the new system. He was also the pioneer wheat buyer of Manitoba, and largely contributed to the development of that province in the wheat growing industry. His younger brother, W. W. Ogilvie, succeeded him in the business, and continued to perpetuate a reputation that had become almost a household theme on two continents. The name of "Ogilvie" is respected in commercial circles, wherever known. His death was deeply felt throughout the Province of Quebec, as well as in the other provinces of the Dominion. He was a man of sterling ability, and any one to know him, found in him a true friend. In religion, he was a staunch Presbyterian; in politics, an active Conservative. His widow, five sons and three daughters survive him.

SILAS VERNOY, Professor of Electro-Therapeutics, Vice-President and Managing-Director of the VerNoy Bellinger Electro Medical Sanatorium Co., Limited, Toronto, was born, January 30th, 1827, in County Ulster, N. Y. His parents were Joseph and Maria (Depew) VerNoy, farmers. After becoming of age, he, for a time, operated profitable distilleries for the essential oil of Wintergreen, then turned his attention to mercantile business, but finally decided to study electro-therapeutics, and in 1869 began practice in Pennsylvania. In 1876, he removed to Toronto, at his Sanatorium, 231 Jarvis street, where he has successfully treated thousands of patients, with a system of electro-therapy, founded on natural laws and scientific principles, obtaining the most marvellous results. He has lately added to his most valued institution, a department for the cure of the opium, morphine and alcoholic habits. Prof. VerNoy has been married twice: first to Miss Antoinette Merritt, and second to Susan Kingsby Youngs. His family consists of six children.

COLLINGWOOD SCHREIBER, C. M. G., Deputy Minister and Chief Engineer of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, was born in Bradwell, Eng., December 14th, 1831. He came to Canada in September, 1852, and was for three years, engaged as assistant engineer on the Hamilton and Toronto Railway. He then practised his profession in Toronto, with Messrs. Sandford Fleming and Thos. Ridout. In 1859, he entered the service of the Northern Railway, but in 1864, took charge of a district of the Pictou Railway. In 1868, he entered the service of the Dominion Government, as district engineer, in connection with the I.C.R., and in 1871, was appointed assistant chief engineer and commissioners' agent. Subsequently, with Mr. E. R. Burpee, he constructed the P. E. I. Spring Hill Branch and the Spring Hill and Parrsboro' railways. In 1873, he was appointed chief engineer of Government railways in operation, and in 1879, took charge of the I. C. R., P. E. I. and C. P. railways. In 1892, he received his present appointment.

THE LATE DENNIS BARRY, B. C. L., Judge of the Circuit Court for the District of Montreal, was born in Cork County, Ireland, in 1835. Early in life, he emigrated to Canada with his father. Judge Barry began his education at the public schools, and continued his studies at Rockwood Academy. He subsequently went through a classical course at Regiopolis College, Kingston. He studied theology for some time, at the Grand Seminary and at Laval University, Montreal, and law at McGill University, Montreal, where he graduated B.C.L. Judge Barry entered the volunteer service of Canada, as lieutenant in the St. Jean-Baptiste Company, in Montreal, in 1877, and was promoted to the captaincy later, remaining in command until the company was merged into the 85th Battalion, when he retired. He was joint fire commissioner for the city of Montreal, and president of St. Patrick's Society of Montreal, for four consecutive years. He was also a Past president of the Young Men's Reform Club of Montreal. Judge Barry had experience of the backwoods, as a settler on a free farm on the Hastings Road, in 1856, at that time, one of the wildest parts of Upper Canada, but now a beautiful and prosperous region. He engaged in the lumbering business for some time, on the York branch of the Madawaska River, in Ontario, and was also engaged in the Crown Lands Office, on the Opeongo Road, with the late Mr. T. P. French, afterwards P. O. inspector for Ottawa District. Since his adoption of the profession of law, Judge Barry resided in Montreal, where he attained a very high position. He was particularly noted as a *nisi prius* for four consecutive years. He was also known as a journalist of more than ordinary ability. In religion, he was a Roman Catholic. In his death, the Bench loses a real ornament, the Bar an honorable and esteemed member, and the community where he resided, a good citizen. Judge Barry died on the 29th of April, 1895, at the age of 60 years, leaving a widow and two sons.

PROF. VICTOR JULES CHARLES PREVOT, Licenciate of Sciences and Literature, was born at Nancy, Province of Lorraine, France, September 6th, 1853. His family is counted amongst the most ancient of Lorraine, and has furnished some celebrated personages to the army, navy, bench and clergy. Mr. Prevot did his classical and scientific studies, under the care of the disciples of St. Ignace de Loyola. Graduating with honors, he was engaged to teach in one of the first institutions of the United States, where he remained from 1877 to 1887. During this time, he accepted a Professor's chair, at Havana, which he occupied for two years, with great success. Later on, he established himself in Canada, teaching at different places. Mr. Prevot now resides at Ottawa, where he has founded "The French Academy of the Dominion," where Latin, Greek and French and mathematics are brilliantly taught and where the elite of society meet. His Excellency the Governor General, Lord Aberdeen, wrote Prof. Prevot a charming letter, sincerely wishing him all the success possible, having no doubt of the excellency of his qualifications as an instructor. He is also special instructor in several of Ottawa's educational institutes, correspondent of a number of European Scientific societies, and is occupied with journalism, having been editor of the *Spectator*, a Conservative organ. During his long sojourn in America, the Professor has returned very often to Europe, to search out new scientific materials and studies. His numerous lectures in the United States, have always been admired. For nearly ten years, while in that country, he taught modern and dead languages, in the most celebrated establishments of education, and has counted amongst his pupils some of the best known members of the elite of American society. In 1890, Prof. Prevot was married to Mlle Emilie Marie Louise Larue, allied to the most notable families of the Province of Quebec. His family consists of two children.

CLARENCE JARED HILL CHIPMAN, B.A., M.D. (McGill University), Physician and Surgeon, and House Surgeon of the Carleton County General Protestant Hospital, Ottawa, was born, June 2nd, 1845, in Halifax, N.S. His parents were James B. M. and Caroline F. K. Chipman. The former was a son of the late Judge Chipman, of Halifax, while the latter was the daughter of the late James Stimpson, of Thomaston, Maine, U. S. A. Mr. Chipman was educated at the High School, Montreal, and at McGill University. He graduated B. A. in 1866, and M. D. in 1868. He first practised in Montreal, and was, for a time, in the General Hospital there. From 1875 to 1882, he practised in Prescott and Cardinal, Ont., when he removed to Ottawa, Ont. He is secretary of the Medical Society of Ottawa. In politics, he is a Conservative, being at one time secretary of the Liberal Conservative Association of South Grenville, and returning officer in the General Election of 1880. In religion, the Doctor is a member of the Church of England. He was married to Mary, daughter of the late Lt.-Col. W. H. Sharpe. His family consists of seven children.

LUDGER AIMÉ CATELLIER, Under Secretary of State and Deputy Registrar General of Canada, Ottawa, Ont., was born, March 26th, in the year 1835, at St. Vallier, Province of Quebec. His parents, on both sides, are from old French families, who settled in the Province of Quebec, in the earliest days of the French regime. Mr. Catellier was educated at Quebec Seminary. He entered the Civil service in 1859, and after passing through various grades, was made Deputy Registrar General of Canada, in 1873. He was appointed to his present office in December, 1889. He has reached this honorable position by his personal exertion and merit. He began at the bottom, and by a faithful performance of duty, and a large measure of perseverance, rose step by step, as his energy and fidelity became apparent. As ability and real worth are bound to be recognized, it is not strange that important trusts came to Mr. Catellier. In religion, Mr. Catellier is a Roman Catholic. He was married, in 1861, to Mathilde Eléonore, daughter of Felix Lavoie, a prominent merchant of Quebec. He has had a family of sixteen children, six of whom are now living.

E. HARCOURT STANLEY, M.D. and V.S., Practising Veterinary Surgeon, Ottawa, Ont., was born, August 29th, 1858, in the city where he now resides. His parents were Robert Stanley and Jane Honeywell. The former was a contractor, and a native of Ireland, while the latter was born in Nepean Township, Carleton County, Ont. Dr. Stanley was educated in the public schools of Ottawa. He took up the study of veterinary science, and graduated at the Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto, in 1886, and received his degree of M.D., at the University Medical College, New York city, in 1891. He practised veterinary medicine in New York, from 1887 until 1891, while studying human medicine. He then practised as M. D. in New York city for three years, returning to Ottawa in 1894, where he is rapidly securing a large veterinary connection. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England. He married, July 25th, 1893, Maria Alma, fourth daughter of Thomas Short, a native of Somersetshire, England. He has one son.

JOHN BRAY HIGMAN, Plumber and Steamfitter, Ottawa, was born, in 1842, April 15th, in Cornwall, Eng. His parents were John and Jane Bray (Yeoman) Higman, the former now deceased. Mr. Higman was educated in Cornwall, leaving school at the age of fourteen. He was then an apprentice, for five years, to the plumbing and steam fitting business, at Liskeard, Cornwall, and after the completion of the same, went to London, Eng., where he entered the firm of Wm. Culbitt, who was afterwards Lord Mayor of London. He remained there about four years, when he went into Her Majesty's Dock Yards, at Davenport, where he also continued four years, when he received the appointment of engineer of Her Majesty's Convict Prison, at Portsmouth. After being there three years, he came to Canada. He is a Conservative in politics, and in religion, an Episcopalian. He was married, September 7th, 1870, in Plymouth, Eng., to Louisa Olver, daughter of Richard Olver, of Cornwall, Eng.

THE LATE NORTON B. CORSE, Montreal, was born near Brattleboro', Vt., in 1808. He came to Montreal in early youth, and engaged in business, eventually becoming manager for the late firm of R. & H. Corse. To this business he succeeded, in 1850, and, after a successful career, retired in 1862. For more than half a century, he was well known in Montreal, and leaves behind him a character of scrupulous probity and usefulness. The public knew him best in his official capacities, but, in private life, he was endeared to a large circle of friends by his genialty of disposition, kindness of heart, and quick and generous sympathies. His strong common sense and great business capacity, made him a considerable power in the City Council, while, as one of the first to inaugurate the movement for the founding of the Mechanics' Institute, he conferred an incalculable boon upon the public. He was treasurer of this institution for twenty years, and it is no exaggeration to say that it was mainly through his efforts that it was continued in existence. He also held the office of treasurer in the American Presbyterian Church for fifteen years, and in this office he made his character felt for good, and largely aided in the material and spiritual health of the church. He was admitted as a communicant of the church in 1828, and during the fifty-six years which he lived afterwards, remained loyal to it. He was also a member of the Board of the Protestant houses of industry and refuge, and for many years prior to his death, was one of the governors of the out-door Board of Relief. He was also connected with several leading business enterprises. He served during the Rebellion of 1837-38, in the active volunteer force. He took a prominent part in the first temperance movement, in Montreal, and was always a consistent advocate of this great reform. He was married, in the month of March, 1836, to Miss Olive Bigelow, daughter of Marshall Bigelow, of Barre, Mass. He died, in 1884, deeply regretted.

JOHN REDPATH, Esq., late of Terrace Bank, Montreal, was born in Earlston, Berwickshire, Scotland, and came to Canada in early manhood. By integrity and perseverance, he gained for himself a foremost place among its citizens. As joint contractor on the Rideau Canal, with the late Hon. Thomas McKay, he laid the foundation of his future wealth. He originated the first Sugar Refinery in the country, and lived to see it an assured success. He was appointed alderman by the Governor of the Province, and subsequently elected to this office for eight successive years. He was, for many years, chairman of the Committee of Management of the Montreal General Hospital, and became president of the Board in 1859. In 1840, he appeared before committees of both Houses of the Imperial Parliament, in London, and defended with marked ability, certain rights of Protestants, then in jeopardy. He did much towards the founding of the Protestant House of Refuge and Industry, of which he was president until his death in 1869. He also took a leading part in establishing the French Canadian Missionary Society and the Educational Institute at Pointe aux Trembles. As a director of the Bank of Montreal, and in his connection with other large financial undertakings, he uniformly inculcated sound business principles. One of the most arduous achievements of his busy life, was that of rescuing from utter disaster, a Savings Bank, in which many depositors of limited means were interested. In religion, Mr. Redpath was a Presbyterian, holding the office of elder, and it was in this connection, and in the private walks of piety, that he did his best work. He also always manifested the warmest practical interest in Home and Foreign Missions, and educational enterprises. The first meeting to consider the founding of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, was held in his house, and his last business transaction, was the giving of a sum to endow a scholarship in the same institution.

CHARTRES RAMAGE CUNNINGHAM, Manager of the Metropolitan Loan and Savings Company, Ottawa, and Agent for the North British and Mercantile Alliance Insurance companies, was born in 1827, in Stewarton, Ayrshire, Scotland. His parents were David and Ann (Barber) Cunningham, natives of Scotland. Mr. Cunningham received his education at Brownless Academy, and at Glasgow. When seventeen, he entered the large grocery establishment of D. & J. Parker, Glasgow. In 1852, he came to Ottawa, to take charge of the business of Herron, Dixon & Co., of Glasgow. In 1857, the firm of Cunningham, Barclay & Lindsay, dry goods merchants, was founded. In 1872, Mr. Cunningham was appointed secretary-treasurer of the Water Works Commission in Ottawa, and of the Metropolitan Loan and Savings Co. He was school trustee and alderman. In 1857, Mr. Cunningham married Isabella, daughter of Andrew Main, merchant, Bytown. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Liberal.

EMERY LAVIGNE, Pianist and Organist, Montreal, was born January 27th, 1859. He early showed his natural ability for music, and at the age of nineteen years was appointed organist of St. John's Church, Oswego, N. Y. After remaining there for five years he returned to Montreal, engaging with the firm of Lavigne & Lajoie, to test pianos for purchasers. He soon afterwards became a teacher of music, devoting his full time to the same. From 1884-87, he taught music at the Hochelaga Convent, and since 1885, has been organist of the Church of the Messiah, and accompanist to the Montreal Philharmonic Society. He has performed in concerts with many noted vocal and instrumental artists, having been accompanist for Lloyd, the English tenor, Hekking, the famous violincellist, W. Clement, clarionet soloist, Mme. Teresa Carreno, S. Franko and others. In the Winter of 1895, he performed at a State concert, given by Lord and Lady Aberdeen, and received from them, as a token of esteem, a picture of themselves and family.

THE LATE WM. HENRY.

THE LATE ROBT. HENRY.

THE LATE WILLIAM AND ROBERT HENRY, Toronto, Ont., whose portraits appear on this page, were natives of the County of Armagh, Ireland, having been born there in 1838 and 1841, respectively, They came to Canada with their parents at an early age, settling in Toronto, where they received their education. Mr. George Henry, an elder brother, was at that time, engaged in lumbering pursuits, and early in the sixties, the subjects of this sketch entered into business relations with him. On the death of the latter, in 1867, they continued the business under the firm name of W. & R. Henry. Their early operations were in the Township of King, just North of Toronto. In 1871, they largely extended their operations, by purchasing the business of the late James McGee. In 1873, they also purchased extensive timber limits, in Mulmur, Dufferin County, and later on, invested largely in the same line, on Manitoulin Island. At this time, they had a well established business, being amongst the best known lumber firms in Toronto, and trading largely with the American dealers. In politics, they were supporters of the Conservative party, although pressure of business prevented them from taking any active part in political affairs. In religion, they were members of the Methodist denomination. In 1870, Mr. William Henry married Louisa Stewart, daughter of the late James Stewart, of York, a prominent farmer of that township. On the 18th of May, 1882, Mr. Robert Henry was drowned in Georgian Bay, while trying to escape to the shore from the burning steamer "Manitoulin". He was then only in the prime of life, being in his forty-first year, and his untimely end was mourned by a large circle of friends and acquaintances. By a strange coincidence, the two brothers, so closely connected with each other in business, met with similar fates. On September 14th, 1882, four months after his brother's death, Mr. William Henry went down with the ill-fated "Asia", only two souls on board of the vessel at the time surviving to tell the tale. He left a widow, four sons and one daughter, of whom three sons are still living.

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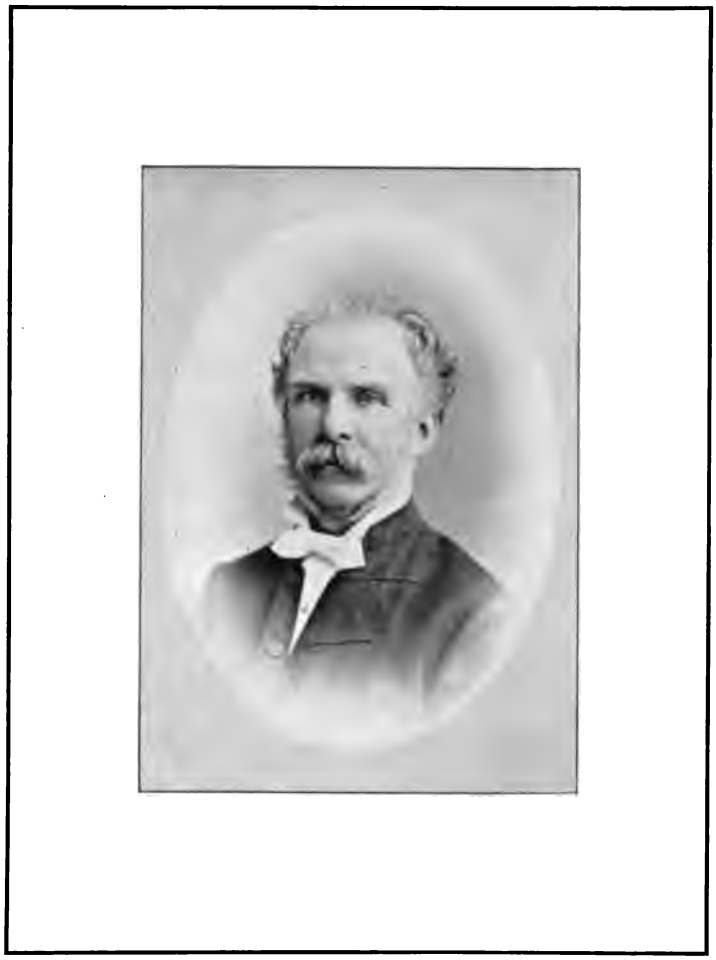
GEORGE VALENTINE McINERNY, M. P., M. A., LL. B., Q.C., Barrister, Richibucto, New Brunswick, was born, February 14th, 1857, in Kingston, Kent County, N. B. He is the son of Hon. Owen McInerny and Mary McAuley. The former was a native of Ireland, and came to Canada when young. He was elected to the New Brunswick Legislature, in 1866, as an anti-confederate; appointed Legislative Councillor in 1869, and was member thereof, until his death in 1890. His mother was the daughter of Daniel McAuley, in his day one of the foremost ship builders of New Brunswick. After receiving his early education, Mr. McInerny entered St. Joseph College, in 1870, graduating from that institution in 1875. He afterwards entered the law department of Laval University, to pursue a course in Roman law. After the completion of the latter course, he removed to the United States, and finished his legal studies at Harvard and Boston University law schools, graduating LL.B. He then returned to New Bruswick, and was admitted to the Bar of that province. He is one of the most widely known criminal lawyers in the province, and since his admission to practice, has enjoyed a very extensive *nisi prius* connection. He was created a Q. C. in 1894. He has been secretary of Kent municipality since 1880, and is also American Consular Agent for Kent County. In politics, Mr. McInerny is an Independent Conservative. For many years, he has been identified with the political affairs of his province, and was elected M. P. for Kent County, N. B., December 6th, 1892. His election was a very popular one, and the ability which he has since displayed in this connection, has entitled him to the fullest confidence of his electors. He moved the address in reply to the speech from the Throne in 1893. Mr. McInerny married, September 12th, 1882, Tena, only daughter of Henry O'Leary, Esq., of Richibucto, N.B. His family consists of four sons and three daughters.

THE LATE W. F. KAY, was born in Montreal, September 9th, 1836, and died in London, Eng., March 25th, 1893. He was the only son of the late Thomas Kay, of Yorkshire, Eng., who settled in Montreal about the year 1830, becoming a most successful merchant. Mr. Kay received his early education at the High School, Montreal, subsequently completing his studies in England. On returning to Canada, he entered business in partnership with the late David Lewis, and established the wholesale dry goods firm of Lewis, Kay & Co. Retiring from business in 1870, he devoted himself to agriculture, having purchased an estate at Philipsburgh, Missisquoi County. He then imported high-class stock, and became a successful exhibitor, both in Canada and the United States, and in many ways, promoted the agricultural industries of the country. In politics, he was a Liberal, and on two occasions, in 1872 and 1874, received the nomination of his party for Missisquoi, but was defeated. In 1874, he was associated with his friend, the late George Clayes, in the Commission of the Peace, in the County of Missisquoi. While a resident in Montreal, he represented St. Antoine Ward, as alderman, for four years, during which time he did good service, his ideas being always progressive. He likewise took an active interest in volunteering, and attained the rank of major in the Brigade of Montreal Garrison Artillery. He was ultimately director of the Merchants' Bank, Royal Canadian Insurance and other companies. He was a man of culture and refinement, a devoted lover of art, his collection of paintings being long considered one of the best in Canada. He also did much towards the cultivation of music, being himself an accomplished musician, and was instrumental in forming the Philharmonic Society, and was its first president. Mr. Kay was married, Nov. 9th, 1870, to Harriette, daughter of Rev. John Jenkins, D.D., of Montreal. His family consists of two daughters and one son, living.

ALEXANDER WADDELL HARRIS, D. V. S., Ottawa, was born, March 5th, 1861, in that city. His parents were James and Jane (Hunter) Harris. Dr. Harris received his early education in the public schools and Collegiate Institute, Ottawa. He entered Montreal Veterinary College in 1877, graduating in 1880, with honors. He then commenced practice in Ottawa, and is now high up on the roll of eminent veterinaries in the province. In 1890, he obtained the degree of D. V. S., from the faculty of comparative medicine and veterinary science, McGill University, and was elected a member of the Board of Examiners in 1884. He is also veterinary surgeon for the Ottawa Field Battery, and is the fourth senior, in the Dominion, on the militia list. In politics, he is a Conservative; in religion, a Presbyterian. He has held high offices in the Masonic Order, and is a member of St. Andrew's Society, a director of the O. A. A. Club, captain of the Ottawa Bowling Team, champions of America, in 1895-96.



THE LATE WILLIAM FREDERICK POWELL, was born at Perth, Ont., April 8th, 1826, and received his education at that place. In 1844, he removed to Ottawa, and at once entered upon a career of active journalism. In 1854, he entered Parliament, as representative of Carleton County, and soon rose to distinction. In 1866, he retired from public life, and became Sheriff of Carleton County. As early as 1853, Mr. Powell advocated Confederation in his newspaper, and was among the first to advocate the Ottawa Valley as the best route for railway connection with the West, and was the chief promoter of the Canada Central. He also advocated what is known now as "The National Policy," and to his exertions, is largely due the selection of Ottawa as the seat of Federal Government. Mr. Powell subsequently resigned his office of sheriff, and ran for the Commons again, at the General Election of 1882. In 1857, he married Miss Wallis, of Port Hope, who, together with five daughters and four sons survive him.

PROFESSOR GEORGE W. LINTON, Inventor of the Linton Educational System, for the permanent cure of Stammering, Founder and Principal of the Linton Institute, Ottawa, was born, in the year 1870, in Ottawa. He is of English descent, his father being connected with an old English family, among whom was the celebrated Sir Roger Linton, of London, Eng. Prof. Linton was educated at the public and high schools of Ottawa and Belleville, Ont. In 1890, he removed to Toronto, and was employed in the C. P. R. offices there. He was from youth, a noted stammerer, and after attending a number of so-called high-class institutions, for the cure of this defect of the voice, without success, he set about to work out a system of his own, which has since met with such unparalleled success. He established the Linton Institute in Toronto, in 1893, which he removed to Ottawa, in 1895, where he has every prospect of a brilliant and successful future. He is so confident of success with every patient whose case he undertakes, that he will accept of no payment, until a complete cure has been effected. This method of conducting business must bring him a very large patronage.

JOHN C. STEPHENS, Professor of Elocution, Montreal, was born in that city, January 4th, 1862. His parents were Catherine and George Stephens. Prof. Stephens received his early education in the schools of Montreal, where he completed a full classical course. From an early age, he showed marked ability as a reader, and decided on elocution for his profession. He devoted all his energies to qualifying himself for this profession, and after giving it close study for a number of years, found himself in the front ranks. He then spent a number of years as a teacher of elocution in different American colleges, where he was much appreciated. In 1891, he returned to his native city, Montreal, where he has since remained. He now teaches elocution in McGill College, the Normal and Model schools, and the different theological colleges of that city, and has built up a reputation for himself as being one of the leading teachers on the Continent. In January, 1895, he established a school of elocution in Montreal, which has already taken a prominent place among the educational institutions of that city. In religion, the Professor is a member of the Presbyterian Church.

THE LATE JOHN RAINS, Toronto, Ont., was born, in 1808, near London, Eng. He removed to the United States, where he spent some twelve years, after which he returned to England, subsequently returning again to the United States, and from thence removing to Canada, locating in Toronto. Here he carried on business successfully, and was, for a time, connected with Sir Francis Hincks. Mr. Rains was married to Miss Maria McCord, sister of A. T. McCord, who is still living at the advanced age of eighty years (1895). His family consists of three sons and one daughter, living, viz.: Dr. John Rains, of Willmar, Minnesota, U. S. A., Charles Rains, of Portland, a traveller for R. G. Dunn & Co., Arnold Rains, real estate agent, residing in Toronto, and Miss Matilda Rains. In religion, Mr. Rains belonged to the Brethren. He was secretary of the Mutual Insurance Co. of Toronto, and treasurer of the Commercial Building and Investment Society. About the year 1890 he retired from business.

THE LATE JAMES GEORGE PARKS, Photographer, Montreal, Que., was born, May 8th, 1836, in Saratoga County, N. Y. His parents were Daniel and Matilda Parks, natives of England, who came to this country when quite young. Mr. Parks was educated at Fort Edward Institute. He afterwards learned the trade of blacksmith, at which he worked for several years. His artistic ideas, however, led him to take up the study of photography. After qualifying himself for this profession in one of the leading studios of the country, he opened a gallery in the city of Montreal. He was very successful in this undertaking, and soon took a place among the leading artists of that city. In religion, Mr. Parks was a member of the Methodist Church, holding the office of class leader, and was active in all matters pertaining to religious and moral advancement. He was married twice: first to Martha Sparhawk, and after her death, to Jennie Haggart. He died deeply regretted. A widow and an adopted daughter survive him.

THE LATE JACKSON RAE, Manager of the Merchants' Bank, Montreal, was born at St. Andrew's, Ottawa, Ont., September 7th, 1830, and died, September 7th, 1889, in Montreal. His father, Dr. Archibald Rae, was born in Ayr, Ayrshire, Scotland. His mother's maiden name was Miss Margaret E. Wray, daughter of Major Wray, of Wray Mount, Kings County, Ireland. As the original manager of the Merchants' Bank of Canada, Mr. Rae was well known throughout the Dominion. In religion, he was an Episcopalian; in politics, a Conservative. He was married, April 26th, 1866, to Miss Emma Price, daughter of Commissary General Price, of Montreal, a native of Wales. Mr. Rae's family consists of three daughters and one son, the latter being J. P. Rae, engaged in the Molsons Bank.

REV. ROZELL S. STEVENS, Bridgewater, N. S., was born, April 15th, 1858, in Cumberland Co., N.S. Mr. Stevens was educated at the schools of Wallace, Pictou Academy, Fredericton Normal School, and Mount Allison College. Having passed, with honors, his Conference examinations, he was ordained in 1887. He was then pastor at Caledonia, then on the Sandy and Southampton circuit, Bermuda, and while there was chaplain to the Wesleyans in the British Navy, and also to the Military. He returned to Nova Scotia in 1893, since which time he has been at Bridgewater. He is an active temperance worker, a member of the Orange Order, I.O.O.F., holding the office of chaplain to the latter. He married, June 30th, 1887, Miss Emma Mary Randall, daughter of the late Elisha W. Randall.

JOLIER LEVESQUE, of Levesque & Pichette, Grocers, Montreal, Que., was born, December 15th, 1864, at Cedars, Soulanges County, Que. His parents were Capt. Cyprien and M. (Pilon) Levesque, the former having been employed for the past twenty-five years by the Harbour Commissioners of Montreal. Mr. Levesque was educated at St. Patrick's Academy, Montreal. For two years, he was in the watch-making and jewellery business, but is now conducting a successful trade in connection with Mr. Pichette, on St. Catherine street, Montreal. He is also a member of the Montreal Grocers' Association, of which he has been treasurer since 1893. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative. Mr. Levesque married, June 3rd, 1890, Miss Harriett Shreeve. His family consists of two children.

JOHN McGOLDRICK, Merchant, etc., St. John, N. B., was born in that city. Aug. 21st, 1853. After leaving school, Mr. McGoldrick learned the trade of tinsmith. He afterwards travelled in the United States, five years, but returning to St. John, went into the marine business, and he is now doing a very large trade. He was elected a member of the Council Board of the city of Portland, now part of the city of St. John, in 1883, a position he still occupies. He has been chairman of the Sewerage, Light and Assessment committees, and is at present chairman of the Fire Committee. Mr. McGoldrick was married, in 1879, to Miss Jane E. Harley, of St. John. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative. He is also a member of the C. M. B. A., and Ancient Order of Hibernians.

EDWARD BROOME, Organist and Choirmaster of first Presbyterian Church, Brockville, was born in Manchester, Eng., in 1869. He passed the senior examination of the Royal Academy of Music in 1884. He then became assistant organist at the Cathedral, and afterwards organist of St. Mary's Church, Bangor, Wales. In 1889, he obtained diploma of Fellowship of the Guild of Organists, London, Eng. He took first prizes in composition, four times in succession, at the National Eisteddoods of Wales; was appointed to conduct North Wales Male Choir of sixty voices, at the World's Fair Competition, Chicago, 1893, and took his present position in December of that year. In July, 1894, before the Prince and Princess of Wales, he led this choir to victory again. As a composer, concert organist, etc., he excels.

JOHN RICHARD HALL, Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, was born at Peterboro, Ontario, August 13th, 1847. His parents were the late Judge G. B. Hall, of the County of Peterboro, and Elizabeth, daughter of the late Rev. Richard D'Olier. After receiving his education in Dublin, Ireland, he was employed in the Finance Department of the Canadian Government, from 1865 to 1871, when he resigned, on account of ill health. He was subsequently engaged on the harbour survey, at Fort William. He entered the Department of Justice, in 1873, and was Private Secretary to the Minister of Justice, from 1878 to 1881. On the re-organization of the Department of the Interior, in 1883, Mr. Hall was appointed Secretary. He is one of the most capable departmental secretaries in the service.

FREDERICK WARRINGTON, Baritone, Concert Vocalist and Director, was born at Northampton, Eng., Jan. 10th, 1852. His parents were Wm. H. and Sarah (Larter) Warrington. Mr. Warrington received his early education in England. In 1862, he came to Quebec city, but in 1863, removed to Toronto. He commenced his musical education in Toronto, under Mr. Torrington, afterwards studying with J. Harry Wheeler, of Boston, and Signor Agremonte, of New York. Since 1887, Mr. Warrington has devoted all his time to his profession, and is known as one of the foremost musicians of Toronto. He has been the director of Sherbourne Street Methodist Church choir since 1886. September 20th, 1876, he married Miss Charlotte Foster. His family consists of three sons and two daughters.

THE LATE JOHN HENRY DAVIS, Toronto, was born in Cavan, Ireland, June 18th, 1831. He was the son of Prof. Geo. Davis and Jane Boyd; the former, a well-known professor of music. In 1842, Mr. Davis came to Quebec, Que., and after learning the grocery business in the store of his brother-in-law, removed to Toronto. In 1852, he entered the Toronto Post Office, becoming chief clerk in 1871, which position he retained until his death, March 20th, 1893. In religion, Mr. Davis was a member of the Church of England, and being possessed of an exceedingly fine voice, from a lad, was connected with church choirs. He was also identified with the Queen's Own Rifles, being one of the officers of that regiment, who fought at Ridgeway. He was a good marksman, winning first prize for rifle shooting.

ANDREW WOODCOCK, the noted Man Milliner, Ottawa, Ont., was born, in 1831, in West Newton, Northumberland, Eng. He was educated at the public schools of that place, and during early life, after completing his education, was engaged in general farm work. At the age of seventeen, he entered the establishment of Messrs. J. Black & Sons, of Fort Forge, to serve an apprenticeship to the drapery and grocery business. After serving in this capacity for three years, he filled other various positions in different parts of England, and in 1857, engaged as commercial traveller with a Manchester firm, remaining with them one year, when he came to Canada. His first experience here was as butler to the late Hon. John Hillyard Cameron, Toronto, and after a few days' service there, he saw an opportunity to re-enter the dry goods business. Before he left the service of Mr. Cameron, however, that gentleman told him if he ever needed a situation, to return to him, and he would find an opening for him. After that, he filled many important and responsible positions in the wholesale dry goods and millinery trade, in Toronto and Montreal. In 1867, he opened a millinery store in Toronto, and was not long in building up a most extensive and lucrative trade. A few years later, saw him doing the largest millinery business in the Dominion. At the time of the commercial crisis of 1877-78, Mr. Woodcock was compelled to abandon the retail trade, and accept a situation with the late firm of Jas. Brayley & Co., with whom he remained several years. In 1883, he removed to Ottawa, establishing a business there, and has since been carrying on the largest and most widely known millinery and fancy goods trade (wholesale and retail), in the Dominion of Canada. He now occupies, on Wellington street, Nos. 310, 312, 314, 316 and 318, and these quarters are known, to-day, as the Man Milliner and One Price Store, and recognised as the leading stores of their kind in Ottawa.

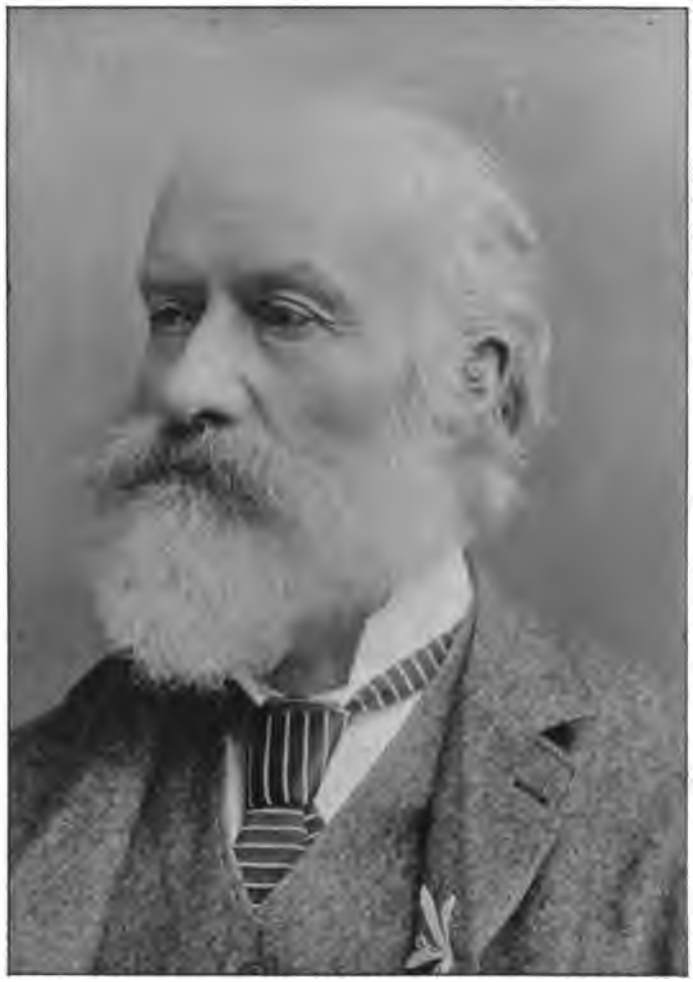
THE LATE WILLIAM JAMES WHITEHEAD, one of the most active and energetic promoters of the cotton manufacturing industry of the Dominion, was born in Montreal, in 1841. His father was thelate William T. Whitehead, one of Montreal's pioneer wholesale merchants. Mr. Whitehead was educated at the High School and McGill College, Montreal, and at an early age, entered business life in Ontario. His first venture in manufacturing was at the Trent Valley Mill, Hastings, Ont., and he afterwards held the position of manager of the Stormont and Canada Cotton Co.'s Mills, at Cornwall. In 1878, he returned to Montreal, to become general manager of the Hudon Cotton Mills, Hochelaga (now Dominion Cotton Mills Co.), which position he held at the time of his death. The extraordinary success which attended his management of this large institution, is well known to the business world of Canada, as under his management, it attained its highest prosperity, and increased four fold. Mr. Whitehead may be said to have been born with a genius for manufacturing; he mastered everything connected with it, was keen to see, and had an intuitive knowledge of what ought to be done. He had an indomitable spirit, and was full of energy and perseverance. Personally he was a man of unflinching integrity, and, throughout his career, enjoyed the full confidence and esteem of the penetrating and practical men with whom he was associated. He was of a genial, magnetic nature, which gained him many warm friends, and greatly endeared him to his employees. He was a faithful member, and liberal supporter of the Church of England. Mr. Whitehead married a daughter of Mr. Charles Robinson, of Rochester, N. Y. His family consisted of three children, two sons and a daughter. His only surviving son, Charles Ross Whitehead, is now managing-director of the Montmorency and Riverside Mills, Montmorency Falls, Que. Mr. Whitehead died in January, 1888, in his 47th year.

P. E. LABELLE, Retail Dry Goods Merchant, Montreal, Que., was born, May 16th, 1840, at Boucherville, Que. His father was Avila Labelle, while his mother's maiden name was Archange Surprenant. Mr. Labelle was educated at the public school of Boucherville, receiving a practical education. After having some experience in one of the leading dry goods firms of Montreal, he started business for himself about the year 1864, in that city, which he has since continued. In October, 1894, he bought out the extensive dry goods business, on corner of St. Lawrence and Dorchester streets, formerly owned by S. M. Beaudoin, and in addition to this, also has a large business on corner of St. Lawrence and Rachel streets. In religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church; in politics, gives his support to the Conservative party. He is also a member of the C. M. B. A., and the Catholic Order of Foresters. Mr. Labelle was married, in 1864, to Miss Euphemie Laforce. His family consists of nine children.

WILLIAM YOUNG, Chief of Fire Brigade, Ottawa, was born in Quebec, Que., July 9th, 1837, and was educated in the National schools of that city. He removed to Ottawa in October, 1859, one month later joining the Central Hook and Ladder Co., filling every position up to that of first lieutenant. He was elected chief in December, 1872, and at once set about reorganizing the Volunteer Brigade, which at that time showed need of discipline. In 1872, the corps numbered 250 men. In 1873, when the steamer "Conqueror was purchased, four paid men were engaged to handle the engine. During the Summer of 1874, the present Water Works and Electric Fire Alarm System had reached such a stage of efficiency, that they could be utilized in fighting fire. Chief Young then laid before the Council, a scheme for the organization of a properly constituted paid brigade, which was adopted, and came into effect December 8th, 1874. There are eight fire stations, and the Brigade consists of 36 men and 16 horses.

WILLIAM MACKEY, Lumber Merchant, Ottawa, Ontario, was born, April 10th, 1819, in County Down, Ireland. His father was James Mackey, a farmer, who lived on a place called "Mackey's Island", while his mother's maiden name was Mary Hanna. They emigrated to Canada in 1835, settling in Perth, where his father rented a farm, but shortly afterwards died there. Mr. Mackey was then left to rely on his own resources, and had also a younger brother and sister to care for. He removed to Ottawa, then called Bytown, and worked for Mr. George Buchanan, at the timber slides, and afterwards at the Chatts. While in Ottawa, he joined the volunteers, under the late Captain Geo. P. Baker, at the time of Papineau's Rebellion 1837-38. In 1842, he went into the lumbering business, working for the late Hon. James Skead, on the Bonchere River. In 1843, he commenced lumbering, on his own account, on the Madawaska River, and has continued in that line ever since. In those early days, lumbering was a far different affair to what it is at the present. There were no railroads, or even good wagon roads, and supplies were taken up the rivers, in canoes, towed up the rapids, and portaged over the falls, on the men's backs. Mr. Mackey manufactured chiefly square timber, for the Quebec market, and has had one or two rafts on the river, every year for over fifty years. During his long experience, in the lumber business, he has seen a great many changes in the trade, both in the manner of getting timber to market, and in the prices, which have varied from 4 pence a foot to 45 cents. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic; in politics, a Conservative, although not taking an active part in political matters. He was married, October 10th, 1851, to Nancy Jane Armstrong, a daughter of Peter Armstrong, Esq., Ottawa. His family consists of five sons and three daughters. Mr. Mackey is one of a race of sturdy pioneers, who have greatly aided our civilization and development.

SANDFORD FLEMING, C.M.G., LL.D., C.E., Ottawa, was born in Scotland, January 7th, 1827. He came to Canada in 1845. On the Engineer staff of Northern Railway, from 1852 to 1863, the latter half of service as chief engineer. Delegate in 1863 to Imperial Government, in reference to Railway, from the Province of Canada to British Columbia. Appointed, in 1863, by Government of Canada, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, and by Imperial Government, chief engineer of Intercolonial Ry. Appointed, in 1871, engineer in chief of Pacific Railway. Retired in 1880. Elected, in 1880, for three years, chancellor of Queen's University, re-elected in 1883, 1886, 1889 and 1892. Presented with Freedom of Kirkaldy Burghs, 1882; Hon. LL. D., St. Andrew's, Scotland, in 1884, and Columbia, New York, 1887. Delegate of Canadian Institute and American Metrological Society, N. Y., to International Geographical Congress, Venice, in 1881. Delegate of British Government to International Prime Meridian Conference, Washington, in 1884. Delegate of Queen's University, at Tercentenary, Edinburgh University, 1884. Confederation Medal, 1886. Delegate of Canada, at Colonial Conference, London, in 1887. President of Royal Society, Canada, 1888-89. Special mission to Australia and England *re* Pacific Cable, in 1893; commissioner at Colonial Conference, Ottawa, 1894. Special commissioner to Hawaii, in 1894. Member Institute, C. E., member American Society, C. E., F.G.S., F.R.G.S., honorary member Canadian Institute, Geographical Society of Quebec, Hamilton Assoc'n, Royal Geographical Society, Australia, and Imperial Geographical Society, Vienna. Author of "The Intercolonial", "Old to New Westminster", and a contributor to various scientific and other publications. Has been the prime mover in the "time reform" and Pacific Cable movements. Mr. Fleming married, in 1885, Ann Jean Hall, daughter of Sheriff Hall, Peterboro. His family consists of six children, living.



ROBERT ANDERSON, Montreal, Que., was born, June 18th, 1801, in Renfrew, Scotland. His parents were Archibald Anderson and Ann Graham. The former was Laird of Bloward Hill, Scotland, and the latter was the daughter of Robert Graham, of Kirkentilla. Mr. Anderson was educated at a college, in London, Eng. He commenced business at Finiston Pettenss, near Glasgow, where he remained for about two years. He then went to Glasgow, and, for four years, was manager of Geddes' China and Glassware establishment. He then removed to Belfast, Ireland, taking charge of another establishment belonging to the same firm. After remaining there for about six years, he went to Galway and Sligo, starting business in the same line on his own account. After continuing successfully for some years, he sold out, and, in 1840, came to Canada, settling in Montreal. Here he was in business as a wholesale crockery merchant, on St. Paul street, until 1849. In religion, Mr. Anderson is a Presbyterian, having held the office of elder in Cotté Street Church, for a number of years. In politics, he is a Conservative. He is also vice-president of the Merchants' Bank of Canada.

CHARLES HENRY RICHES, Solicitor of Patents, Toronto, Ont., was born, February 21st, 1868, at Barrie, Ont. His parents were Richard H. Riches and Georgiana Stanley, the latter being a grand daughter of Sir Thomas Wiseman, of Maidstone, Kent, Eng. Mr. Riches was educated at the Toronto public schools and Jarvis Street Collegiate Institute, Toronto. Having a natural talent for drawing and engineering, he took up the study of these subjects, after receiving his non-professional teachers' certificates, and after passing the requisite examinations, obtained from the Ontario Government, certificates entitling him to teach in any Mechanics' Institute, in Ontario. In 1885, he took up the study of Patent Law, under the late Donald C. Ridout, and, after remaining with him for four years, commenced practice on his own account. He numbers amongst his clients, many of the principal manufacturing firms in Western Ontario. He also has direct agencies in London, Eng., Paris, France, Berlin, Germany, Prague, Austria, and Melbourne, Australia. He is Lieutenant in the 12th Battalion of York Rangers. In religion, he is an Episcopalian.

THE LATE HORACE CULVER ODELL, Brick Manufacturer, Ottawa, was born, May 31st, 1818, in New York State. He received his education in the schools of his native place, and commenced business at the age of eighteen, by entering the store of B. Flint, Brockville, where he remained eight years. He then formed a partnership with his brother Amos, and carried on the manufacture of brick in that town. At the very outset, Mr. Odell displayed remarkable ability, and steadily increased his operations. He remained in Brockville for about twenty years, when he removed to Ottawa, and continued in the same line of business until his death, March 4th, 1891. In religion, he was a Methodist; in politics, a staunch Reformer, doing good work for his party, and although often solicited to take public honors, would never consent. Mr. Odell was married, May 27th, 1846, to Adeline Hulbert, daughter of Jas. Hulbert, Esq. His widow, three sons and three daughters survive him, the sons carrying on the business.

WILLIAM WALSH, was born at Canso, N. S., in 1834. His father was Thomas Walsh, a native of Kilkenny, Ireland, while his mother's maiden name was Mary Cullin, a native of Waterford, Ireland, both now deceased. They emigrated to Newfoundland, and afterwards settled in Nova Scotia. Mr. Walsh was educated at Canso, and St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish. He began business life as a fisherman, after which he spent twenty years at Sea, serving in every capacity from cook to captain. He returned to his former business in 1875, and was appointed to his present position of Harbor Master in 1876. He was elected councillor in 1892. From 1881 until 1894, he was employed by Seaman Bros., of London, as pilot on the Cable ship "Farrady", assisting in locating and landing ten Telegraph Cables, in the vicinity of Canso. He is now regarded as a most successful business man. Mr. Walsh has been married twice: first, to Mary A. Lukeman, and second, to Mary Hayden. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic.

ALEXANDER FRASER McINTYRE, Q.C., Barrister, etc., Ottawa, Ont., was born in the County of Glengarry, Ont., December 25th, 1847. He is a son of D. E. McIntyre, M.D., sheriff of the United Counties of Dundas and Glengarry. Mr. McIntyre was educated at the Cornwall Grammar School and McGill University, Montreal. After completing his arts course, he commenced the study of law, at Cornwall, with the late James Bethune, Q.C., afterwards removing to Toronto, where he studied in the offices of James McLennan, Q.C., and the Hon. Edward Blake. He was admitted, in 1872, to the Bar, and began practice at Cornwall, where he continued for some time alone, but his practice grew, in a short time, to such proportions that he found it necessary to admit a partner, and accordingly formed a partnership with Mr. (afterwards Judge) Carmen, who became junior partner. In the fall of 1875, he became a member of the legal firm of Walker, McIntyre & Ferguson, Ottawa, and in 1881, joined the Hon. James Cockburn, Q.C., continuing in partnership with that gentleman until his death. At the Provincial Election of 1875, Mr. McIntyre was the Liberal candidate for the Riding of Cornwall, and was elected by a majority of five, but defeated by a majority of seven, at an ensuing election. He was an unsuccessful candidate for the city of Ottawa, in 1882, and again in 1887, outpolled the largest vote ever given to a Liberal in a Federal Election in that city. He was president of the Liberal Association of Ottawa, for eleven years, and was elected president of the Young Liberal Association of Ontario, at the Convention of "Young Liberals", held at Toronto, in 1885. In his political career, Mr. McIntyre has been more particularly a follower of Hon. Edward Blake. In 1877, Mr. McIntyre married Helen, daughter of Ronald Sandfield MacDonald, of Lancaster, Ont. Mrs. McIntyre is a lady of fine accomplishments. His family consists of two sons and three daughters.

THE LATE JOHN YOUNG, of the city of Toronto, Ont., was born in County Sligo, Ireland, in the year 1818. He boasts of an ancestry, which dates back in the history of Ireland, a great many years. His father, William Young, a man of sterling character, an employee of the Government, came to this country about the year 1846. He settled at Toronto, where he lived many years, and became highly respected, dying in that city, at a ripe old age. Mr. Young's mother was also a native of Ireland; her maiden name was Ann Armstrong. Her family was well known in County Sligo, also for their great worth. Mr. John Young, the subject of this sketch, was educated in the public and private schools of his native land, standing well in his classes, and receiving a good practical education. He came to Canada in 1840, thus preceeding his father, by some six years. He also settled in Toronto, and as many old citizens of that place know, he had a successful career there. Like other young men, emigrating to a new country, he found some difficulty in making a start in life. Various avocations were tried, with more or less success. He finally settled down to the business of a manufacturer of boots and shoes, which he carried on very successfully until the time of his death. Among the many wholesale dealers and manufacturers in the Queen city, Mr. Young was well known and respected, and few were more successful in their lines than himself. He became widely known throughout Ontario, as well as in other of the then separated provinces, now forming the Dominion of Canada, as an extensive dealer and manufacturer of boots and shoes. In 1845, in the 29th year of his age, Mr. Young was married to Miss Elizabeth Hurst, a native of Enniskillen, Armagh County, Ireland. Miss Hurst came to Canada with her parents in 1838, settling in Toronto. The issue of this marriage is two sons and one daughter, namely, James, Robert and Sarah, each of whom are living and residing with their widowed mother, at the family residence, in Toronto. Mr. Young was, in religion, a consistent member of the Church of England, the Church in which he was raised, and in which he was well and favorably known. In politics, he was a supporter of the Conservative party, and took an intelligent interest in the affairs of his country, although he did not obtrude himself much in party politics. He was a firm believer in the destiny of Canada, as a great nation, and was an ardent supporter of all which would tent to further her interests. He was also loyal to England, and had he lived in these latter days, would have been a strong supporter of Imperial Federation. Mr. Young died in the year 1875, when he was comparatively in the prime of his life, being only 59 years of age. His sole survivors are, as indicated above, his widow, two sons and one daughter. He was a man greatly devoted to his home, and did not associate much with societies and clubs, as many other men do. He was, however, a loyal member of the Orange Society, and, in former years, took a deep interest in the propagation of its principles. He retired from business, with a competency, in the year 1874, and it will thus be seen that he only enjoyed his well earned fortune one year after his retirement from active business pursuits. The widow and family were heirs to a large amount of real estate, situated mostly in the city of Toronto. James Young, the eldest son, is a commercial traveller, while the second son, Robert Young, is a carpenter and builder. Both still remain unmarried.

DUGALD STEWART, B.A., M.D., Bridgewater, N. S., was born, December 5th, 1862, at Upper Musquodoboit, N. S. His parents were John Sprott and Sarah J. (Archibald) Stewart, the former being one of the leading business men of Upper Musquodoboit and holding the offices of justice of the peace, postmaster, etc. Dr. Stewart was educated at Pictou Academy and Dalhousie College, where he graduated B. A. in 1886, holding throughout his course a Munro Bursary. In 1887, he was appointed principal of Shelburne County Academy, resigning in 1889, to complete his course in medicine, in the University of the City of New York, graduating from this institution in 1892, with honors and the degree of M.D. After completing his course, he returned to Nova Scotia, and began practice in Bridgewater, and is now in the enjoyment of a large and growing connection. Dr. Stewart is a member of the I.O.O.F., I.O.F., A.F. & A.M., and Nova Scotia Medical Society, being Noble Grand of the first and physician to the second. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and holds the office of church manager. In 1892, he married Dora H., daughter of W. T. Kelley, Esq., of Shelburne, N. S.

THE LATE AUGUSTIN CANTIN, Montreal, was born at Cap Santé, near Quebec, June 17th, 1809. At an early age, he was apprenticed to a ship builder in Quebec. He afterwards worked in Liverpool and New York, subsequently removing to Montreal, and establishing the present ship building concern, known as "The Canada Marine Works". The works and dry docks were established in 1845, and 192 moulded vessels have since been built, including the famous blockade runner "Sumpter", a large side wheel steamer for Cuba, two revenue cutters for the French Government, and several steamers for the Canadian Government, the Canadian Royal Mail S.S. Co., the Richelieu Navigation Co., the Montreal Transportation Co., the Ottawa Transportation Co., the Ottawa River Navigation Co., the Lake Ontario and Bay of Quinte Navigation Co., the Melbourne S.S. Co., the Harbor Commissioners of Montreal, the Montreal Elevating Co., and for numerous other firms and individuals. Mr. Cantin was married, May 29th, 1841, to Elizabeth, daughter of Alex. Benning, of Lachine. He died November 30th, 1893, leaving a widow, two sons and one daughter.

THE LATE HON. SIDNEY SMITH, Q.C., Cobourg, Ont., was born at Port Hope, Ont., October 16th, 1823. His grandfather, Elias Smith, was a U. E. Loyalist, while his father, John D. Smith, was a member of the Legislative Assembly of Canada, from 1824-27. Our subject began his education under Archdeacon Bethune, at Cobourg, continued at the Home Grammar School and under the late Dr. J. Short, Port Hope. He afterwards studied in the office of Smith & Crooks (the former being his brother), and was called to the Bar in 1844. He began practice in Cobourg, and established the largest business in the district. In 1862, he was created a Q.C., was elected municipal councillor in 1853, and warden of Northumberland and Durham. In 1854, he was elected to the Legislative Assembly, and subsequently twice elected. On his first entry into Parliament, in 1854, he moved the address in reply to the speech from the Throne. February 2nd, 1858, he was appointed Postmaster General, with a seat in the Cabinet, and in 1858, became President of the Council and Minister of Agriculture. During the session of 1859, he moved and carried an address to Her Majesty the Queen, to recommend the Imperial Parliament to grant a subsidy to the Canadian line of Ocean steamers, and covered himself with laurels in connection with the Atlantic Mail arrangements, and the conversion of the postal deficit, into a surplus. His crowning act of administration was the Ocean Postal Service, the results of which are well known. In 1860, he settled the question of Sabbath labor in the post offices of Upper Canada, and reformed the Jury law. In 1863, he commenced practice at Peterboro. November 24th, 1866, he was appointed Inspector of Registry Offices for Upper Canada, which office he held for many years with universal satisfaction. During the visit of the Prince of Wales, in 1860, he was the guest of Mr. Smith. In 1844, he married Miss Bennett, of Port Hope, who, with five sons and one daughter, survive him. He died in 1889.

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MERCHANT AND ALDERMAN,
HALIFAX, N. S.

WM. McKAY, M.D., M.P.P., Leader of the Opposition in the Local Legislature of Nova Scotia, was born at Earlton, N. S., September 11th, 1847. He received his M. D. at Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York, in 1873, and practised at Little Glace Bay, C. B. In 1874, he was appointed resident Physician to the Reserve Collieries. In 1878, he organized a system of quarantining of contagious diseases, for the mining districts, which was later applied to the whole county. In 1888, his Nova Scotia Public Health Act passed the House of Assembly without amendment. Dr. McKay is an ex-president of the Nova Scotia Medical Society, Deputy Grand Master Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M., Nova Scotia, and a Past High Priest of No. 10 R. A. M. of Nova Scotia. He is a Conservative, was first elected to Parliament in 1886; defeated in 1890, but elected by a large majority in 1894. He married, Nov. 10th, 1875, Catherine Campbell, daughter of Gilbert Sutherland, of Colchester County. He has one son and two daughters.

MR. JOHN SPARROW THOMPSON,

Born in Ireland, but a life long resident of Nova Scotia.

For many years Queen's Printer and Superintendent of the N.S. Money Order System.

A Liberal in politics, firm believer in British Connection.

He died in 1867.

ROBERT JOHN DRUMMOND, Manager of the Bank of Montreal, at Perth, Ont., was born in Kingston, Ont., July 31st, 1841. His father, Andrew Drummond, was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1811, and on coming to Canada, in 1834, joined his uncle, Robert Drummond, who was then engaged in building the Rideau Canal. Upon the death of his uncle, he entered the service of the Commercial Bank, but a few years later, he resigned, and joined the Bank of Montreal, in which institution he remained till 1884, and retired from it with a life annuity. His mother, Margaret Sinclair, is a native of Caithness, Scotland, and is a cousin of Sir Oliver Mowat. They reside in Ottawa. Mr. Drummond was educated at the school in Kingston, which was in connection with Queen's College. He afterwards took a three years' course in Arts at the College. In 1859, he entered the Bank of Montreal, at Kingston, as junior officer, under his father, who was manager there at that time. Subsequently, he served at Ottawa, Brockville, Cobourg and Toronto branches, then, for a short time, he left the service to join the Royal Canadian Bank. He then re-entered the service of the Bank of Montreal, and was sent to the branch at London, Ont. After remaining there a short time, he was again moved to the Kingston branch, and, in 1872, was made manager at Perth. During his long residence in Perth, as manager of this well-known institution, he has worked up a large and profitable business, and is held in high esteem by his townsmen. Mr. Drummond is also a member of the Board of Education of the town, and has always exhibited great interest in educational matters. He is a man of keen business insight and wherever he has been has commanded the respect and confidence of the business community. He was married, May 18th, 1869, to Ann Lee Robb, of London, Ont., daughter of Wm. Robb, Esq., one of the pioneer mill owners of that place. His family consists of three daughters and two sons.

HON. ALEXANDER CROSS, Retired Judge of the Court of Queen's Bench, Montreal, was born in Lanarkshire, Scotland, March 22nd, 1820, and came to Montreal with his parents, Robert Cross and Janet Selkirk, in 1826. His father's death, about one year after his arrival in this country, made it necessary for the family to remove to a farm on the Chateauguay River. Our subject showed a strong leaning towards literary pursuits, and in this desire, was encouraged by his elder brother, who had been educated for the Scottish Bar. In 1837, he entered Montreal College, but shortly afterwards put himself under private tutors. He studied law in the office of John J. Day, Montreal, but on the outbreak of the Rebellion, enlisted as a volunteer in Col. Maitland's battalion, serving until the close of the disturbance in 1838, retiring with rank of sergeant. While a law student, he was chosen clerk of the first Municipal Council of Beauharnois County, and performed his duties so well, that he was highly complimented for the ability he displayed, by such gentlemen as Lord Selkirk, Edward Gibbon Wakefield and others. He was called to the Bar in 1844. He first practised in Montreal with the late Duncan Fisher, Q. C., and subsequently with Attorney General Smith. In 1864, he was created a Q.C., and August 30th, 1877, was appointed one of the Judges of the Queen's Bench for P. Q. While at the Bar, he held a foremost position, and on the Bench, his judicial opinions were received by the Supreme Court and Privy Council, with marked consideration. Judge Cross always had an aversion to public life, and refused many prominent positions which were offered him. In politics, he is a Liberal; in religion, a Presbyterian. In 1848, he married Julia, daughter of the late Wm. Lunn. His family consists of six children, living. The eldest son, Selkirk Cross, Q. C., is a member of the firm of Hall, Cross & Brown, Montreal; the second son, George Henry Cross, is State Senator of Wyoming, U. S. A.

PIERRE A. VALOIS, M. D., Lachine, Que., was born at Lachine, October 13th, 1843. His father's name was Pierre Valois, while his mother's maiden name was Marie Louise Sagalas, of French and Spanish descent, respectively. Dr. Valois received his classical education at Ste. Thérèse College, graduating from that institution in 1863. He then spent one year at Nicolet College, studying philosophy, matriculating at Victoria Medical College, in 1864, and graduating therefrom in 1868, with the degree of M. D. In the same year, he commenced practice at Pointe Claire, where he remained twelve years, removing to Lachine in 1880, where he has to-day the largest practice in that city. He is a member of the C.M.B.A., A.O.U.W. and Alliance Nationale, being medical examiner in all of these societies. He is also physician for the Sons of England, at Lachine, examiner for New York Life and Equitable Life Insurance companies, and physician for the Convent of the Sisters of Ste. Anne. In politics, he is a Liberal; in religion, a Roman Catholic. August 4th, 1868, he married Marie Louise Sauvé, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue. His family consists of four sons and four daughters.

J. A. McKELLAR, Merchant and ex-Reeve, Tiverton, Ont., was born near Stratford, Ont., and in 1861, with his parents, went to Bruce County. His early life was spent in farming. In 1873, he began manufacturing cheese. The product of his factories received the highest awards at the Provincial, Industrial and World's Columbian exhibitions. In 1875, he opened a business in Tiverton, consisting of groceries, boots, shoes, etc., in addition to his other business. In 1880, he was elected to the Tiverton Council, and re-elected to the same office five times. In 1890, he was made reeve, and re-elected three times by acclamation. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and, in politics, a Reformer. He is also a member of the A.F.& A.M., A.O.U.W., S.O.S. and I.O.O.F. He was married, in 1892, to Miss Street, of Wiarton.

THE LATE MARTIN ALFRED MILLER, formerly proprietor of the Atlantic House, Shelburne, N. S., was born, in 1851, at Hubbard's Cove, N. S. He was educated in the public schools, receiving a good business training. He was first engaged in business, in Jordan, N. S., as contractor in a lumbering enterprise, remaining there fourteen years. He located in Newfoundland, in 1876, carrying on a large lumbering business for three years, after which he removed to Shelburne, and was proprietor of the Atlantic House for some years. March 24th, 1880, Mr. Miller was married to Margaret, daughter of Daniel and Alicia Wentzell, of Mill Village, N. S. His family consists of three children, living. He died, January 4th, 1894, very deeply regretted, as he was well known and highly esteemed.

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